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# 1945 We Present

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We have enjoyed compiling this 1945 edition of the Mount, and it is our wish that our readers will take pleasure in perusing its pages. We trust that the members of the class in particular will enjoy with happy recollections the events recorded in this sixth volume of the Mount.

We are grateful for the assistance given us by Sister Mary Jerome, our faculty adviser, and to the student body for their support of our efforts.

JOSEPH QUINLAN,  
Editor-in-Chief

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## Business Board

We wish to thank those who have helped us to finance the 1945 Mount. Appreciation is expressed by the board to the business men of the city who have advertised in our annual.

We trust that our readers will patronize our benefactors.

CHARLES REARDON,  
Business Manager



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"We pledge allegiance  
To God, our King,  
To Mary, our Queen,  
Patroness of our country,  
To our flag, the Red, White and Blue,  
To America, our native land."

"These are the heroines,  
Who, like Mary,  
Stand beneath the Cross  
With aching brow and heart, yet  
Hopeful, brave, resigned,  
E'en unto the worst!"

## Foreword

Although the prospects for peace are becoming brighter we are still living in a topsy-turvy world. Under present conditions many of our plans and hopes for the future have been altered or abandoned.

The purpose of this sixth edition of the Mount is to encourage, inspire, and cheer the members of the Class of 1945, in the days to come, as they review their achievements, and recall the ideals cherished during the past four years at Mount Saint Joseph.

## Dedication

Under the patronage of the sweet Queen of Peace, and of Saint Joseph, Patron of Youth, we reverently dedicate the 1945 edition of the Mount to the mothers of the boys and girls in service, and to all our dear parents. May she who first brought true Peace into the world, and He who is called the Just, bring comfort to them in their sorrow, and a Just Peace to a world which has abandoned it.

With the hands of her little Son, may the Queen of Mothers bless in a special manner the parents of the boys who have made the supreme sacrifice.

## To Our Beloved Bishop

We extend a hearty welcome and congratulations to His Excellency, Most Reverend Edward F. Ryan, D.D., on his appointment to the Diocese of Burlington. Since his installation, February 7, our beloved Bishop has shown a zealous interest in the spiritual and material welfare of all with whom he has come in contact. He has endeared himself to clergy and laity through his loyal devotion and unquestionable sincerity.

We appreciate the honor of Bishop Ryan's presence at our graduation exercises, and we pray that he may enjoy a long and fruitful episcopate in Vermont.

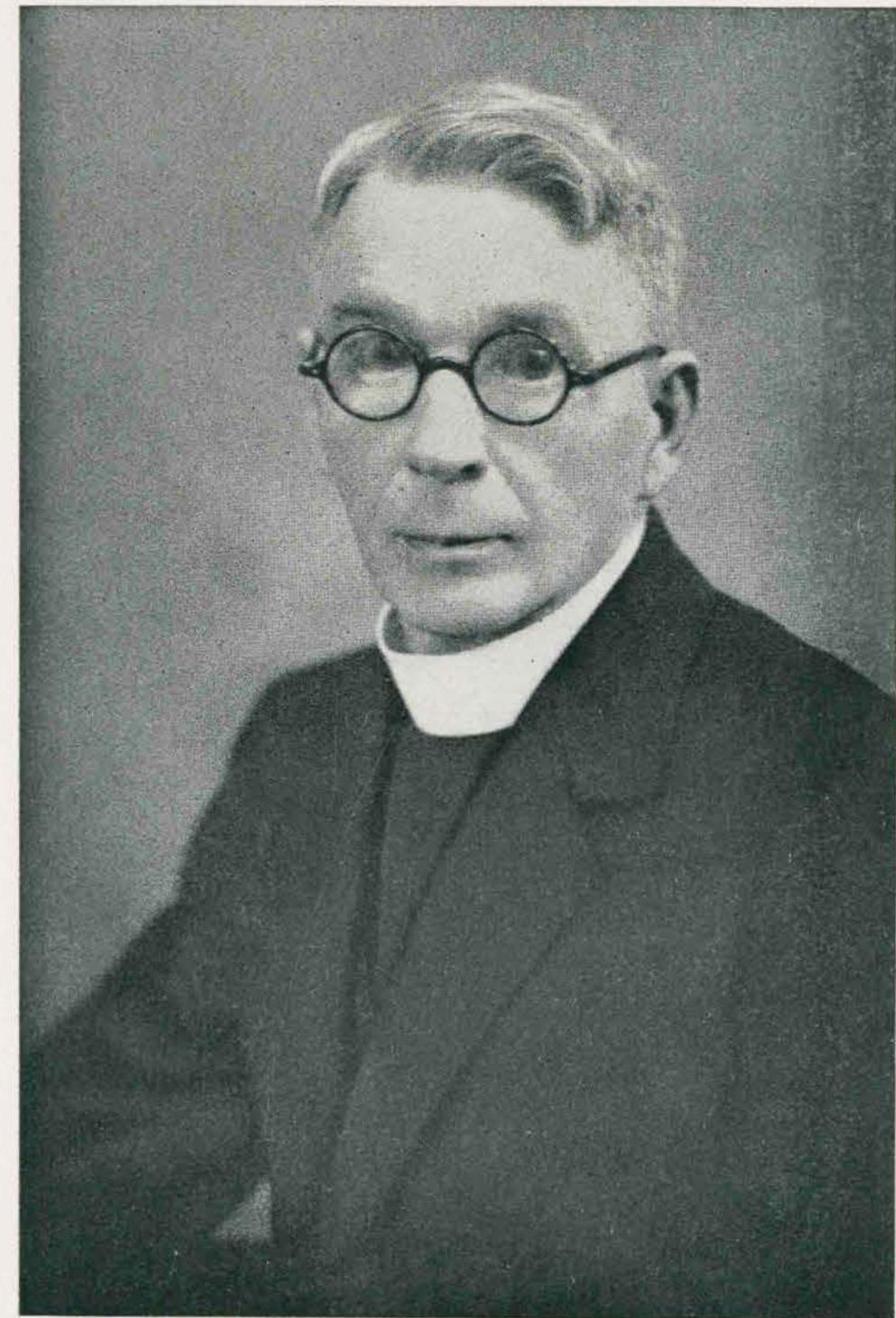


HIS EXCELLENCY, THE MOST REVEREND EDWARD F. RYAN, D. D.  
BISHOP OF BURLINGTON

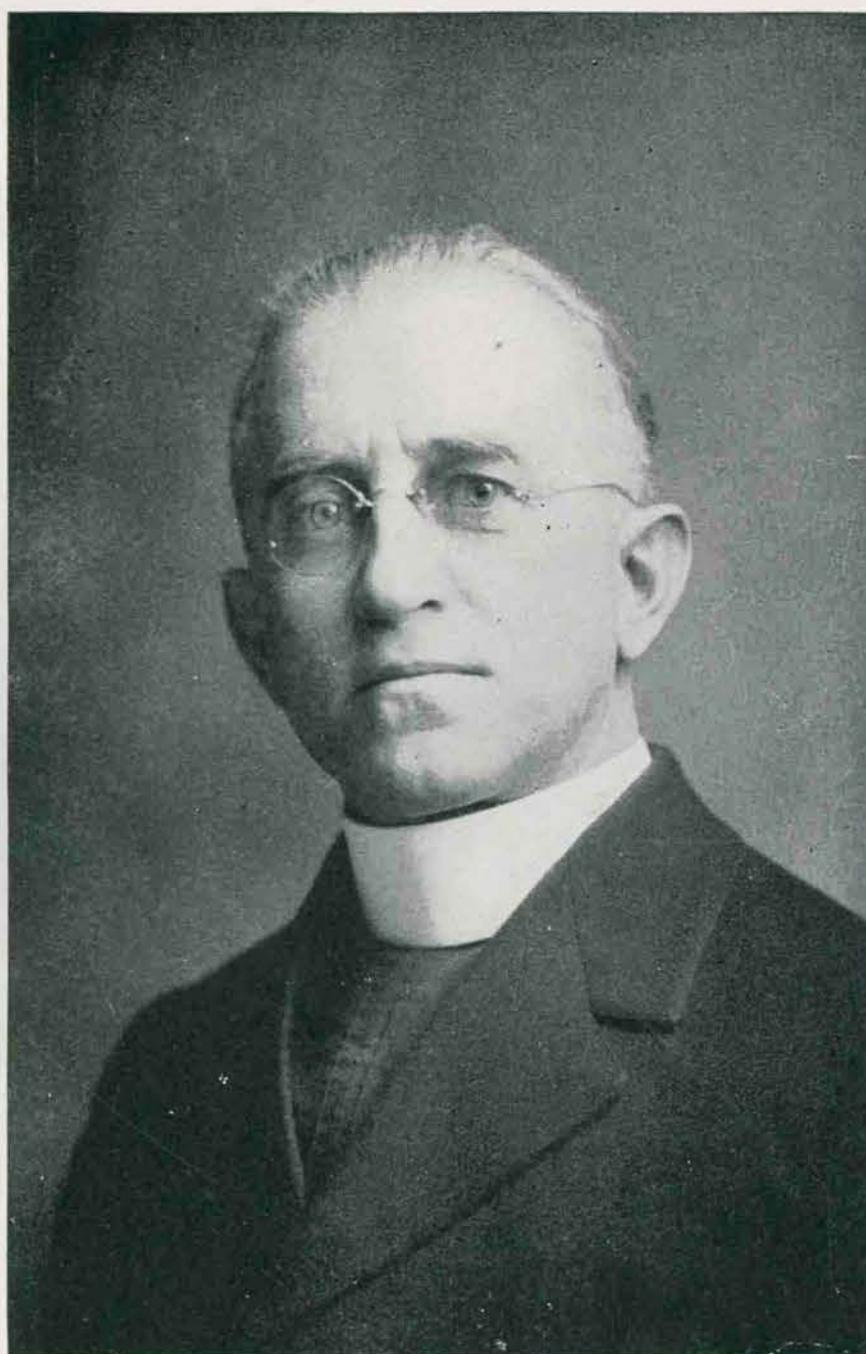
## We Thank You

With profound respect and sincere appreciation, we pay tribute to our pastors, the Very Reverend Father Brown, Father Vezina, and Father Kennedy, for their aid in making it possible for us to attend Mount Saint Joseph Academy, as well as for their interest in guiding us along the paths of virtue.

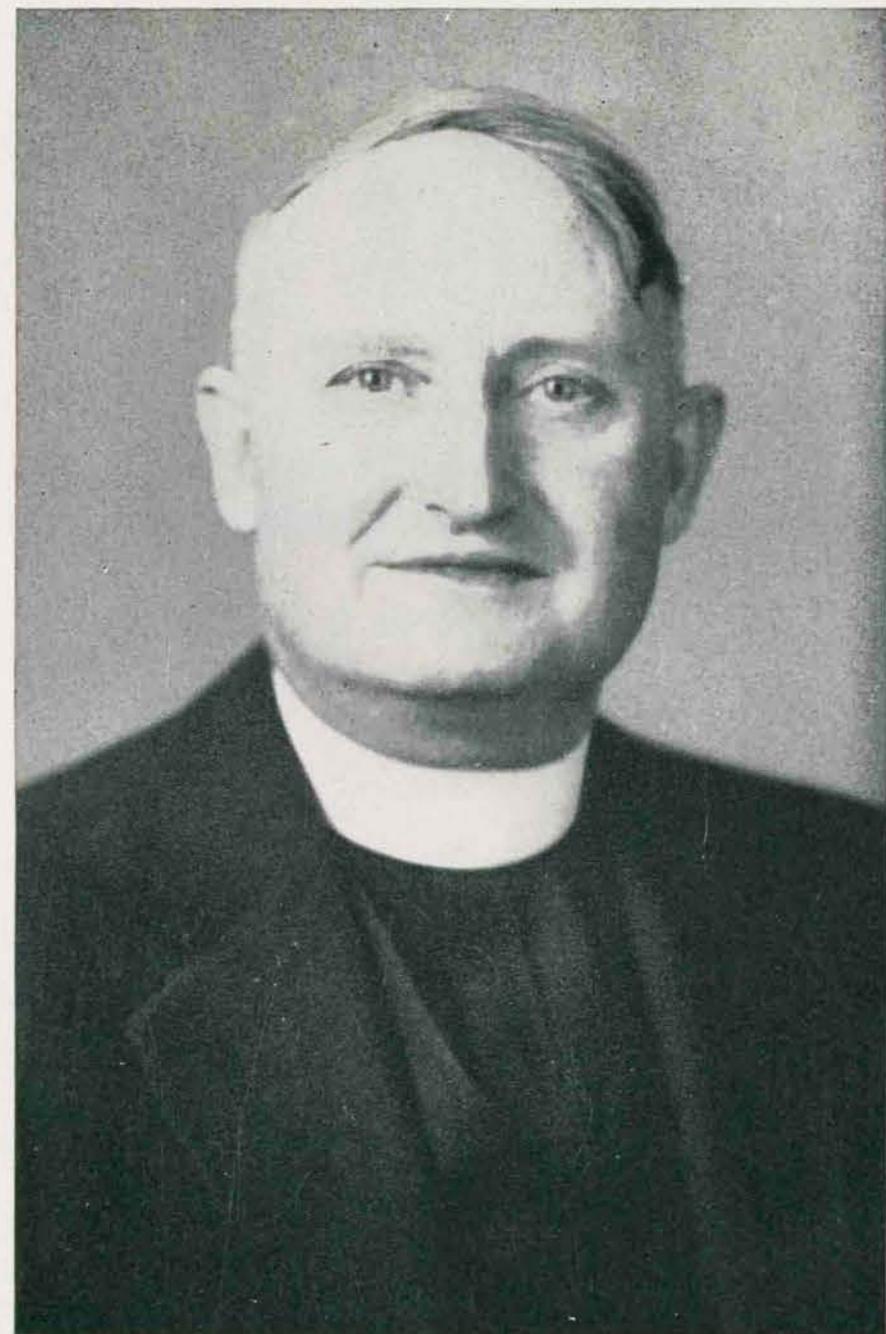
To Father Murray, Father Demasi, Father Carrigan, and to Father Derosier, who has come among us recently, we express our gratitude for all that they have done for us. We shall always have pleasant memories of our happy associations with them in Religion classes, in our activities, and in our recreations.



THE VERY REVEREND JOHN M. BROWN, V. F.



REVEREND L. ALBERT VEZINA



REVEREND JOHN M. KENNEDY



FATHER MURRAY



FATHER CARRIGAN



FATHER DEMASI



FATHER DEROSIER

## - - FACULTY - -

SISTER MARY ANNUNCIATA, Principal

SISTER M. RAPHAEL  
Spanish

SISTER M. JEROME  
English, Religion, Latin

SISTER M. LORETO  
Spanish

SISTER M. ST. JOHN  
Music Appreciation, Glee Chorus

SISTER MARY  
Religion, French,  
English

SISTER M. EDWARD  
Latin, Physics, Religion,  
Mathematics

SISTER M. JAMES  
Mathematics, Religion,  
English, General Science

SISTER AGNES MARIE  
Mathematics, Religion,  
English

SISTER M. FRANCIS  
Latin, Religion,  
English

SISTER M. BARBARA  
Religion, Bookkeeping, Stenography,  
Business Law, Typewriting

SISTER M. CLEMENTINE  
History, English

SISTER M. IMELDA  
Religion, Typewriting, Bookkeeping

SISTER M. EUCHARIA  
Mathematics, Civics, Religion,  
English, Latin

SISTER M. CONCEPTA  
French, Religion,  
Sociology, Latin

SISTER M. CYRIL  
Chemistry, Religion, English, Gen-  
eral Science, Business Arithmetic

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Biology, Religion, English,  
General Science

SISTER M. EVANGELIST  
Band, Orchestra

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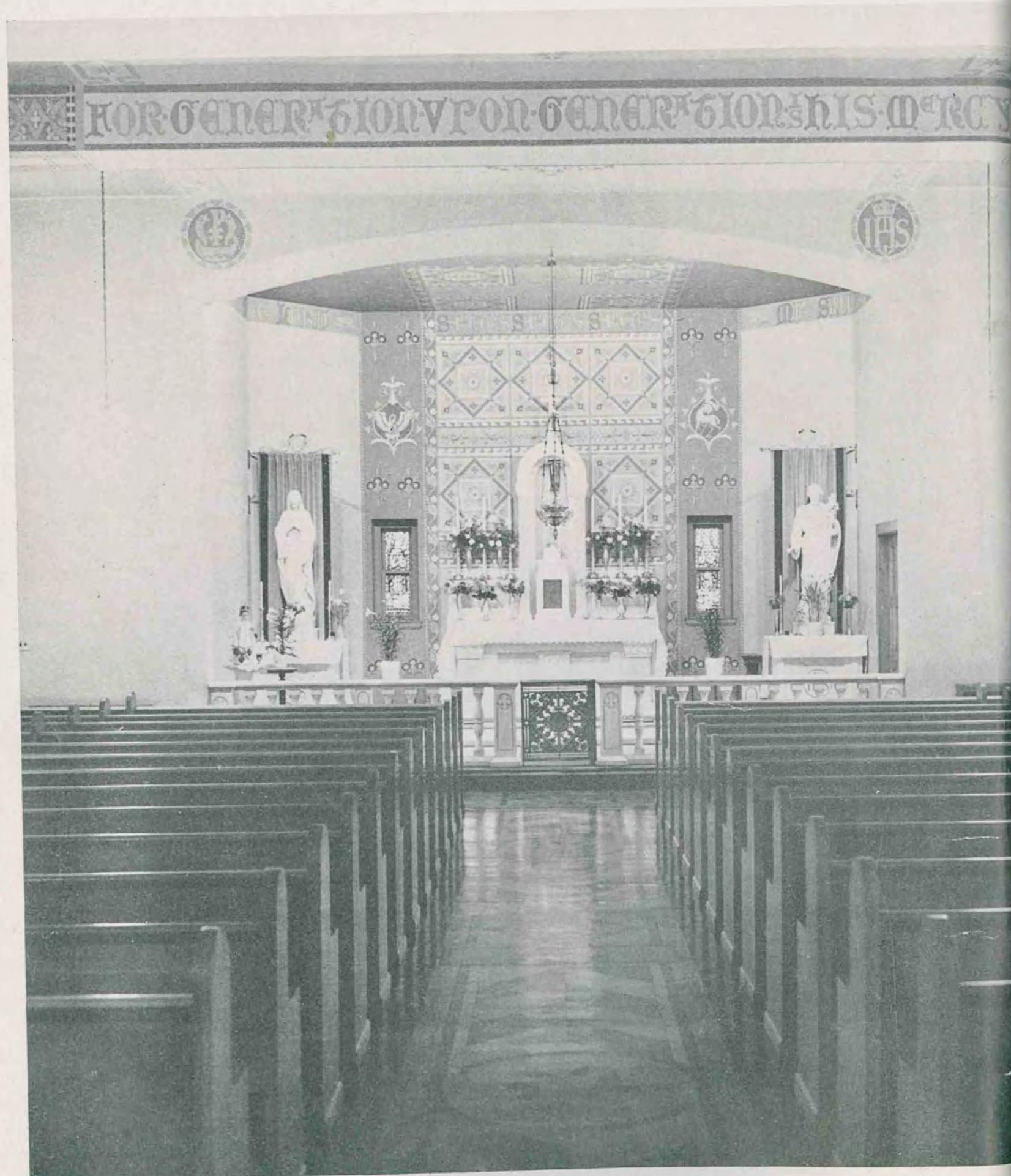
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History, Algebra, Aeronautics

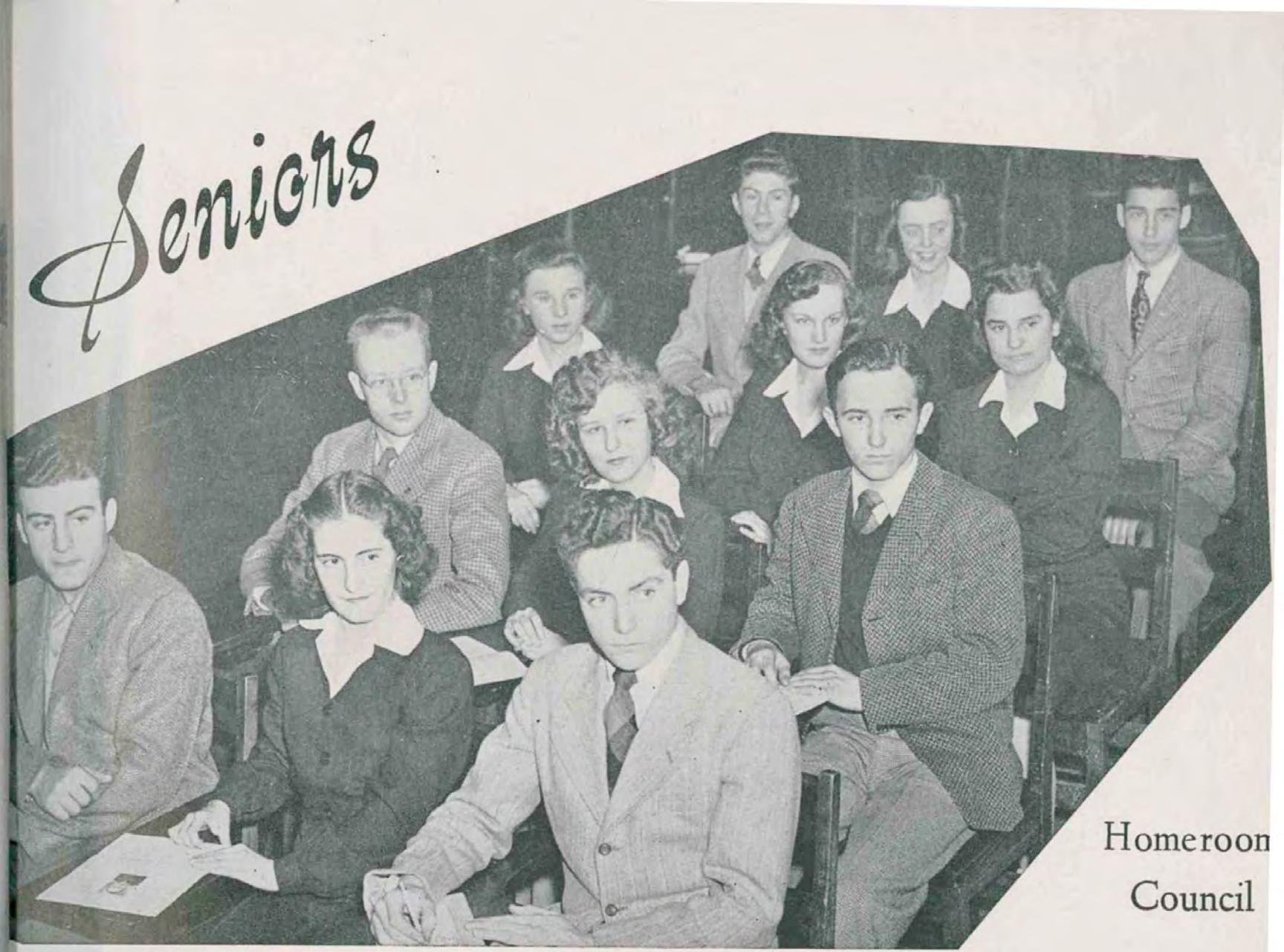
## Appreciation

We wish to express our thanks for the many happy days spent in contact with our teachers in classes and elsewhere. We realize our indebtedness to Mother Columba, to our principal, Sister Mary Annunciata, to our Sister teachers, and to Mr. Branen for their interest in us.

We are very grateful for their guidance, and we will try to live up to the principles they have instilled in us.



CHAPEL  
"WHERE OUR LORD DWELLS IN OUR MIDST"



Seniors

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS



JOSEPH QUINLAN, Treasurer; ANNE ANOE, Vice-President; LEONARD COURCELLE, President; REGINA VALENTY, Secretary.

VALEDICTORIAN



JOSEPH POMPONIO



LEONARD COURCELLE

### PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS

From the armed forces of our beloved America, dear parents and friends, I extend to you this evening a hearty welcome to our Class Night exercises. You are our guests of honor—the ones to whom we are indebted for your kindly interest, and support all along the way of our four happy years at Mt. St. Joseph Academy. I wish to thank each and every one of you, in the name of the class of 1945, for all that you have done for us.

We express sincere gratitude to our kind pastors and priests for their guidance and help, and to our devoted teachers, who were ever zealous for our welfare and happiness. To you dear parents, we offer the greatest tribute of our appreciation in return for the love and solicitude you have shown us by providing for us a Catholic high school education.

Greetings to you dear classmates! Congratulations for having reached the goal of graduation. I would like to be with you tonight. Jack Welch, Al Manfredi, Jimmy Dunn and Jimmy Harrison would like to be there, too, but it seems that America needs us elsewhere, so it is O. K. with us.

We will be thinking of you all tonight, and as the breezes blow across the Gulf of Mexico, they will bring our message to you at the Strand Theatre, Rutland, Vt., nestled in the foothills of the Green Mountains.

God bless you, 'till we meet again!

LEN COURCELLE

SALUTATORIAN



MARGARET O'ROURKE

HELEN AGNES ALBERICO

General

Glee Club 4; Mission Crusade 3, 4; Retreat 3, 4; Junior Red Cross 3, 4.



JOSEPHINE MARY ALTOBELL

General

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Bazaar 2; Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics 3; Gym 2; Basketball 1; Junior Catholic Daughters 1, 2; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4.



ANNE RUTH ANOE

Commercial

Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; St. Cecelia's Chorale Club 1, 2, 3, 4; "Mount"; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Clarion 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Basketball 1; Gym 2; Class Vice-President 3, 4; Bazaar 2, 3; Student Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Freshman Reception Committee 4; Class Night; Commencement.



JEAN ANNE BATTLES

Academic

Glee Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Bazaar 2, 3; Orchestra 3, 4; Gym 2; Class Treasurer 2; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; May Breakfast Committee 3; Music Graduation 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4.



JANET ANN BEAN

General

Glee Club 1, 3, 4; Sodality 3; Student Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4.





WARREN FRANCIS BOLIN

Academic

Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 4; St. John Berchmans' Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Basketball 3, 4; Varsity Baseball 3, 4; Home Room Council 4; Junior Varsity Basketball 2; Class Basketball 1; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Freshman Reception Committee 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Bazaar 2; Dramatics 1; Southern Vermont All Tournament Team; Southern Vermont Tournament, Most Valuable Player.



JOHN ROBERT BROWN

General

Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Baseball 3, 4; Interclass Basketball 3; Minstrel Show 4; Bazaar Committee 2; Assistant Football Manager 2; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4.



MARY ELIZABETH BURKE

General

Glee Chorus 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Bazaar Committee 2; Mission Crusade 2, 3, 4; Gym 2; Junior Catholic Daughters 1, 2, 3, President 2; Red Cross 2, 3, 4; Retreat 2, 3, 4.



DOREEN CATHERINE CAIN

General

Glee Chorus 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Red Cross Unit 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Catholic Daughters 1, 2; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Gym 2; Student Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Bazaar Committee 2.



MARTIN JOSEPH CARMODY

General

Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Commencement Usher 3; Boys' State 3; Minstrel Show 4; Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Treasurer 4; Varsity Football 3, 4; Baseball Manager 3, 4; Jayvee Football 1, 2; Basketball 1; St. John Berchmans' Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play, Usher; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4.



HENRY KINSELLA CARROLL

General

Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; St. John Berchmans' Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Freshman Assembly; Glee Club 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Class President 1; Gym 2; Usher at Games; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4.



PAULINE ANN CILO

Commercial

Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Chorus 4; Gym 2; Home Room Council 4; Bazaar 2; Student Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Freshman Reception 4; Class Night; "Mount."



WINNIFRED ANN CLARK

Academic

Orchestra 2, 4; Glee Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Bazaar 2; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics 3; Gym 2; Junior Catholic Daughters 1, 2, 3, Secretary 3; Music Graduation 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1.



CHARLES EDWARD CLIFFORD

General

Basketball Manager 1, 2; Jayvee Manager 3; Dramatics 2, 3; Senior Play; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Clarion 3, 4; Home Room Council 4; Freshman Reception Committee 4; Holy Name Society; Vice-President 4; Minstrel Show 4; Glee Chorus 4; Cheerleader 4; Red Cross, 1, 2, 3, 4.



MARION ANNE CLIFFORD

College Preparatory

Sodality, Vice-President 4; Student Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Band, Majorette 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Catholic Daughters 1, 2; Senior Play; Gym 2; Glee Club 4; Bazaar 2, 3; Clarion 2, 3, 4; May Breakfast Committee 3; "Mount."



LEONARD CHARLES COURCELLE

General

Holy Name Society 4; Bazaar 1, 2, 3; Green Mt. Boys' State 3; Senior Play, Chairman; Football 3, 4; Class President 4; Freshman Reception Chairman; Glee Club 4; Class Night; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4.



RICHARD MICHAEL CROWLEY

Academic

St. John Berchmans' Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Holy Name Society, Treasurer 3; President Holy Name Society 4; Clarion, Business Manager 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Bazaar 1, 2, 3; Freshman Reception; Boys' Choir 4; Senior Play, Usher; Minstrel 4; Southern Vermont Tournament, Usher 3, 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4.



JANE MARY CZACHOR

Commercial

Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Chorus 4; Bazaar 2; Junior Catholic Daughters 1; Gym 2; Student Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4.



ROSEANNE DONAHUE

General

Glee Chorus 4; May Breakfast Committee 3; Bazaar Committee 3; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Breakfast Committee 3; Girls' Basketball 1; Gym 2; June Social Committee 3; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Bicycle Court Judge 3, 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; "Mount"; Class Night.



CHARLENE ANN DUNKLEE

General

Glee Chorus 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Gym 1, 2; Student Retreat 2, 3, 4; Red Cross Unit 1, 2, 3, 4.

JAMES JOSEPH DUNN

General

St. John Berchmans' Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics 3; Minstrel Show 4; Bazaar 1, 2, 3; Junior Varsity Basketball 2; Varsity Basketball 3; Varsity Football 1, 2, 3, 4; All State Football 4; Senior Glee Chorus; Commencement Usher 3; Class Night, Usher 3; Southern Vermont Tournament, Usher 4; Basketball, Usher 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Poster Committee 1, 2, 3, 4.



MARY MARGARET DUPREY

Commercial

Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4; Typing Contest 3; Bazaar 2; Gym 2; Junior Catholic Daughters; Freshman Reception Committee; Student Retreat 2, 3, 4; Red Cross 2, 3, 4.



MARY CHRISTINA FALCO

General

Glee Chorus 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Treasurer of Sodality 4; May Breakfast, Server 3; Alumni Dinner, Server 3; Ticket Seller at Games 2; Clarion 4; Junior Catholic Daughters 1; Bazaar 2; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Concert 4.



PATRICIA ANNE FLYNN

College Preparatory

Glee Chorus 1, 4; Clarion 2, 3; Home Room Council 4; Senior Play; Music Graduation; Orchestra 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Bazaar 2, 3; Mission Crusade 1, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Freshman Reception Committee; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Gym 2; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Night.



JOSEPH SAMUEL FORMATO

General

Boys' Choir 4; Glee Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Holy Name Society; Class Night, Usher 3; Varsity Football 4; Minstrel Show 4; Senior Play; Bazaar 2; Poster Contest 1; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Gym 2; Poster Committee 1, 2, 3, 4.



GEORGE EDWARD GALLAGHER

College Preparatory

Student Retreat 3, 4; Glee Club 3, 4; Mission Crusade 3, 4; Bazaar 3; Boys' Choir 4; Holy Name Society 3, 4; Red Cross 3, 4.



WALTER PATRICK GALLIPEAU

Academic

Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Bazaar 1, 2, 3; Class Night, Usher 3; Minstrel Show 4; Publicity; Football, Manager 2, 3, 4; Basketball, Manager 3, 4; Varsity Baseball 3, 4; Student Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play, Usher 4; St. John Berchmans' Society 1, 2; Publicity 3, 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4.



LOREN HENRY GOUCHOE

General

Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Bazaar 2; Minstrel 4; Clarion 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; "Mount."



HELEN ROSE GRACE

General

Glee Club 3, 4; Mission Crusade 3, 4; Red Cross 3, 4; Retreat 3, 4; Bazaar 3.



JEAN FRANCES GRACE

General

Mission Crusade 2, 3, 4; Glee Chorus 2, 3, 4; Poster Committee 4; Clarion 4; Red Cross 2, 3, 4; Bazaar 2, 3; Gym 2; Retreat 2, 3, 4; Bicycle Patrol, Judge 3, 4.

ROBERT ANTHONY HACKETT

College Preparatory

Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Bazaar 2; Dramatics 3; Glee Chorus 4; Minstrel 4; Class Basketball 1; Varsity Football 4; Varsity Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, Captain 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Night.



ANNE THERESE HADDAD

Academic

Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Librarian of Band 1; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; St. Cecilia's Chorale Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Music Graduation 4; Junior Catholic Daughters 1, 2, Troop President 1; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Bazaar 1, 2; Gym 2.



MARY THERESE HAMILTON

General

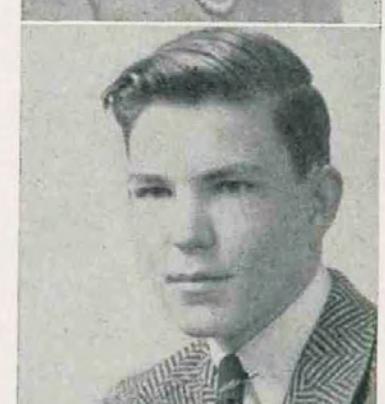
Gym 2; Glee Chorus 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Bazaar 2, 3; Student Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4.



JAMES FRANCIS HARRISON

Academic

St. John Berchmans' Society; Pazaar 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Freshman Reception Committee; Senior Play, Usher; Minstrel Show, Usher 4; Basketball, Usher 4; Southern Vermont Tournament, Usher 4; Student Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4.

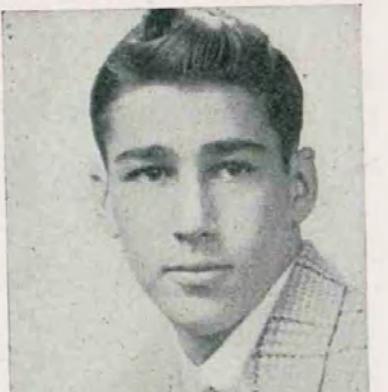


MARGUERITE MARY HARTE

General

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Chorus 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Gym 2; Bazaar 2; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Basketball 1.





FRANCIS WILLIAM JOHNSON

General

Bazaar 2, 3; Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; "Mount"; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Tournament, Usher 3; Home Room Council 4; Freshman Reception Committee 4.



PATRICIA ANNE JOYCE

Commercial

Band 1, 2, 3; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, Secretary 4; Clarion 4; Bazaar 3; Dramatics 2; Junior Catholic Daughters 1, 2, 3; Glee Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; May Breakfast, Server 3; Graduation Breakfast, Server 3; Girls' Basketball 1; Gym 2; Student Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; St. Cecelia's Glee Club 1, 2; Ticket Seller at Games 2, 3, 4; "Mount."



ELIZABETH MAE KEARNEY

Academic

Junior Catholic Daughters 1, 2, 3, 4, Reporter 3; Red Cross 3, 4; Glee Club 3, 4; Clarion 4; St. Cecelia's Chorus 3; Retreat 3, 4; Mission Crusade 3, 4; "Mount."



BERNARD FRANCIS KEEFE

General

Varsity Baseball 3; Jayvee Basketball 3; Interclass Basketball 1, 2; Minstrel Show 4; Home Room Council 4; Freshman Reception Committee 4; Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Boys' Choir 4; Glee Club 3, 4; Boys' State 3; Bazaar 1, 3; Class Night, Tickets 3; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; "Mount."



KATHRYN LOUISE KELLY

General

Glee Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Bazaar 2, 3; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Graduation Breakfast, Server 3; May Breakfast, Server 3; Sodality 2, 3, 4; Gym 2; Basketball 1; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4.

YVONNE THERESA KENNEDY

Commercial

Red Cross Unit 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Chorus 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2; Orchestra 1; St. Cecelia's Glee Chorus 1, 2, 3; Sodality 1, 2, 3; Junior Catholic Daughters 1, 2; Gym 2; Bazaar 2, 3; Student Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; "Mount"; Class Night.



HELEN BARBARA KRAMARZ

Commercial

Band 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Band Secretary 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Chorus 1, 4; Student Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; St. Cecelia's Glee Club 1; Clarion 4.



ELAINE HELENE LAFOND

General

Glee Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Bazaar 3; Mission Crusade 3, 4; Girls' Basketball 1; Student Retreat 3, 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4.



DOLORES ANN LAFRANCE

General

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 4; Home Room Council 4; Class Secretary 1; Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; Gym 2; Basketball 1; Girls' State 3; Dramatics 3; Senior Play, Tap Dancer; Bazaar 2, 3; Clarion 3, 4; Junior Catholic Daughters 1, 2; Bicycle Court Judge 3; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; May Breakfast, Server 3; Senior Breakfast Committee 3; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; "Mount"; Commencement.



JOSEPH GEORGE LEE

Academic

Bazaar 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Jayvee Football 2; Varsity Football 3, 4; Co-Captain 4; Class Basketball 1, 2, 3; St. John Berchmans' Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics 3; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball Manager 1, 2; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Southern Vermont Tournament, Usher 2, 3, 4.



KATHERINE MARIE LOSO

General

St. Cecilia's Chorale Club 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Bazaar 2, 3; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Catholic Daughters; Home Room Council 4; Girls' Basketball 1; Gym 2; Graduation Breakfast, Server 3; Music Graduation, Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Health Club, Secretary 4; Freshman Reception Committee 4; Student Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Night, Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Commencement, Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Typing Contest 3; "Mount"; Class Night.



ALDO MICHAEL MANFREDI

General

Bicycle Patrol, Judge 3; Glee Club 4; St. Peter's Boys' Choir 4; Football 2, Assistant Manager 2; Varsity Baseball 2, 3; Bazaar 1, 2; Minstrel Show 4; Basketball Tournament, Usher 3; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball, Tickets 3; Home Room Basketball 3; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4.



MARY ANN MAROTTI

Commercial

Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Gym 2; Bazaar 1, 2, 3; Ticket Seller at Games 1, 2, 3, 4; May Breakfast, Server 3; Graduation Breakfast, Server 3; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4.



ANGELINE ANN MARGO

Commercial

Glee Chorus 4; Gym 2; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Clarion 4; Bazaar 2, 4; Typing Contest 3; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4.



ROSE FRANCES MCARDLE

College Preparatory

Poster Committee 4; Sodality 4; Mission Crusade 4; Glee Chorus 4; Retreat 4; Red Cross 4; "Mount."



MARGARET ANN McGRATH

General

Glee Chorus 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Bazaar 2, 3; Gym 2; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4.



JAMES THOMAS McLAUGHLIN

Academic

Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Basketball 1, 2, 3; Junior Varsity Basketball 3; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Bazaar 2, 3; Junior Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Chorus 4; Bicycle Patrol 2.



MARJORIE ANN McLAUGHLIN

Academic

Sodality 2, 3, 4; Glee Chorus 1, 4; Gym 2; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Bazaar 2; Junior Catholic Daughters, Troop President; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2; Orchestra 1, 2.



Alice Rena McLellan

Commercial

Glee Chorus 3, 4; Girls' State 3; Minstrel Show, Tickets 4; Mission Crusade 3, 4; Red Cross 3, 4; Student Retreat 3, 4; Football Games, Programs 4; Typing Contest 3.



GERALDINE MARY MOULTON

General

Glee Club 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Bazaar 2, 3; Gym 2; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4.



MARY ELEANOR MURPHY

College Preparatory

Clarion 3, 4; Glee Chorus 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Basketball 1; Gym 2; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; President 4; Senior Play; Junior Catholic Daughters 1, 2, 3; May Breakfast Committee 3; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4.



ROBERT ANTHONY NAPOLITANO

General

Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; "Mount"; Bazaar 2, 3; Home Room Council 4; Freshman Reception Committee.



MARTHA MARY NORTON

College Preparatory

Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality of the Immaculate Conception 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Basketball 1; Bazaar 2, 3; Clarion, Editor-in-Chief 4; Judge of Bicycle Court 4; Class Night.



MARGARET ALICE O'ROURKE

College Preparatory

Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics 3; Football Banquet 1; Clarion 3, 4; Glee Chorus 4; Gym 2; Girls' State, Attorney General 3; Bazaar 2, 3; Basketball 1; May Breakfast Committee 3; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; "Mount." Commencement, Salutatory.



LOUIS ADAM POKRYWKA

General

Glee Chorus 3, 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Bazaar 3; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity 3, 4, Captain 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Southern Vermont All Tournament Team.

THERESA AGNES PALLUTTO

Commercial

Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Chorus 1, 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Gym 1.



FRANCES VIVIAN POMINVILLE

General

Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Chorus 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Bazaar 2, 3; Gym 2.



JOSEPH GEORGE POMPONIO

College Preparatory

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Property Manager, President 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Chorus 1, 2, 3; Bazaar 3; Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Gym 2; Senior Play; Music Graduation, Orchestra; Boys' Choir 4; Green Mt. Boys' State, Senator; Catholic Boy Scouts 1, 2, 3, 4, Eagle Scout, Assistant Scout Master; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Night, Programs 3; Minstrel, Orchestra 4; Bicycle Court Judge 4; "Mount"; Commencement, Valedictory.



JOSEPH FRANCIS QUINLAN

College Preparatory

Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Glee Club; Class Treasurer 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrel, Interlocutor 4; "Mount," Editor-in-Chief; Bazaar 3; Gym 2; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Retreat; Commencement, Programs 3; Class Night; Commencement.



CHARLES ANDREW REARDON

College Preparatory

Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Boys' Choir 4; Senior Play; "Mount," Business Board; Minstrel Show 4; Bicycle Patrol Judge 4; School Bazaar 2; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Night, Programs 3; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Boy Scout 1; Freshman Reception, Tickets.





ELIZABETH JANE REARDON

Academic

Glee Club 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Gym 2; Clarion 3; Junior Catholic Daughters 1, 2, 3; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Bazaar 2, 3; May Breakfast Committee 3; Alumnae Banquet 3; Red Cross 1, 2, 3; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; "Mount."



GENEVIEVE ALICE RHEAUME

Academic

Music 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Gym 2; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Bazaar 2, 3; May Breakfast, Server 3; Senior Breakfast, Server 3; May Procession, Presentation of Flowers 3; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrel, Tickets 3.



JOHANNA JEAN RICCI

Commercial

Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Chorus 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Bazaar 2; Gym 2; May Breakfast, Server 3; Student Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Ticket Seller at Games 1, 2, 3, 4.



ROBERT DAVID ROACH

General

Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Commencement, Programs 2, 3; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Boys' Choir; Southern Vermont Tournament, Usher 3, 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball, Usher 3, 4; Senior Glee Chorus; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; "Mount"; Class Night.



ARTHUR MATTHEW SHAPIRO

Academic

Glee Chorus 4; Mission Crusade 4; Red Cross Unit 4; Varsity Basketball 4; Varsity Baseball 4; Retreat 4.

JEAN MARY SMITH

College Preparatory

Glee Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Music Graduation; Girls' State 3; Bazaar 2, 3; Sodality of the Immaculate Conception 1, 2, 3, 4; Freshman Reception Committee 4; Clarion 4; Judge of Bicycle Court; Home Room Council 4; Senior Play; Class Night.



LUCY ANN SOFIA

Commercial

Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Gym 2; Basketball 1; Secretary 1; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4.



VERONICA MARY SPAULDING

General

Glee Chorus 1, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Room Basketball 1; Gym 2; Bazaar 2, 3; Bazaar Committee Chairman 3; Senior Breakfast, Server 3; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4.



RUTH ELIZABETH THOMPSON

College Preparatory

Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 3, 4; Senior Play; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Music Graduation 4; Bazaar 2, 3; Gym 2; Catholic Youth Organization Committee 3, 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1.



REGINA MARY VALENTY

Commercial

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Catholic Daughters 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' State 3; Senior Class Secretary; Bazaar 2; Student Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Band Majorette 1, 2, 3; Drum Major 4; Gym 2; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; St. Cecilia's Glee Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; May Breakfast, Server 3; Graduation Breakfast, Server 3; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; "Mount."





SILVIO THOMAS VALENTE

College Preparatory

Mission Crusade Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Bazaar 2; Class Basketball 1, 2; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Basketball 3; Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Chorus 4; Class Night.



ARMAND PAUL VALENTE

General

Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrel, Programs 4; Bazaar 2; Student Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4.



BARBARA HELEN VITAGLIANO

Commercial

Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Chorus 4; Gym 2; Senior Play; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Bazaar 2; Ticket Seller 4; Typing Contest 3; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4.



ANNA MARIE VITTEGLEO

Commercial

Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 2, 3, 4; Glee Chorus 2, 3, 4; Gym 2; Bazaar 2, 3; Poster Committee 2, 3, 4; Retreat 2, 3, 4.



MARY RITA WALLET

Academic

Bazaar 2, 3; Glee Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Sodality 1, 2, 3, 4; Music 1, 2; Basketball 1; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Gym 2; Student Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4.

RAYMOND DANIEL WALSH

General

Glee Chorus 4; Bazaar 3; Minstrel Show, Programs 4; St. John Berchmans' Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Crusade; Basketball Usher 2, 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; "Mount."



OSCAR ARTHUR WATTERLUND

General

Glee Club 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Room Council 4; Bazaar 1, 2, 3; Basketball, Manager 1, 2; Holy Name Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrel, Publicity; Student Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4.



EDWARD DENNIS WELCH

College Preparatory

Varsity Basketball 3, 4; Junior Varsity 2; Class Basketball 1; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Night, Usher 3; Minstrel 4; Football Manager 1; Bazaar 2; Clarion 1; Glee Chorus 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; "Mount"; Southern Vermont All Tournament Team; Commencement.



JOHN HENRY WELCH

General

Glee Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; All State Football 4; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Boys' State 3.



HELEN MARY YOTT

College Preparatory

Glee Chorus 4; Sodality; Mission Crusade 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Catholic Daughters 1; Bazaar 3; Retreat 1, 2, 3, 4; Gym 2; Red Cross 1, 2, 3, 4; "Mount"; Class Night.



"Say A Prayer For The Boys"



## Service Tribute

### HONOR ROLL OF CLASS OF 1945

JOHN WELCH	ALDO MANFREDI
LEONARD COURCELLE	JAMES DUNN
JAMES HARRISON	

### OUR HONORED DEAD

"They died that we might live"

EUGENE ESPOSITO	WALTER SAPINSKI
FREDERICK COURCELLE	LOUIS CIMIEGA
GEORGE POPOVITCH	STANLEY SABOTKA
WILLIAM CONSIDINE	JOSEPH MULCAHY
THOMAS BEAUDRY	JOHN CREED
RAYMOND FLANAGAN	

"We loved them in life; we will not forget them in death."

### MISSING

LUCIEN COURCELLE

### PRISONER

WALTER REILLY

### WOUNDED

FRANCIS HEALY	JOSEPH CIOFFI
EARL MCGUIRE	JOHN ORZECZ
ALBERT CREE	RALPH VALENTY



Class Colors:

RED, WHITE AND BLUE

Class Motto:

"BETTER FAITHFUL THAN FAMOUS"

Class Flower:

AMERICAN BEAUTY ROSE

### Class Song

Words: EDWARD CLIFFORD AND SILVIO VALENTE

Music: "SAY A PRAYER FOR THE BOYS OVER THERE"

1.

M. S. J., we'll be with you always,  
As the years go by we'll remember  
Friends we knew, teachers true, joyful days;  
We ask that God watch o'er you Alma Mater;  
Truths we've learned, now will guide us through life;  
You have taught us ideals that are noble,  
And we pledge our hearts to you tonight,  
As we bid fond farewell, M. S. J.

2.

M. S. J., though the skies may be gray,  
Thoughts of you will brighten life's journey,  
As we recall mem'ries dear, M. S. J.;  
Where'er we go, we'll look to you for guidance;  
Sad, indeed, are our hearts, as we leave  
Mt. St. Joseph, our school we'll always cherish;  
So we pledge our hearts to you tonight,  
As we bid fond farewell, M. S. J.



## Class History

When we were underclassmen we envied the Seniors the dignity and prestige that is traditionally attributed to them. Four years seemed a long time to wait for so-called senior privileges. Alas! We little dreamed how quickly those years would pass. We can hardly realize that the events of our senior year, our happiest year at the Mount, have come to an end, and are recorded in the annals of our Class History.

Our class began its history last June when the following seniors took part in Boys' State, held at Norwich University: Leonard Courcelle, John Welch, Joseph Pomponio, Martin Carmody and Bernard Keefe. Girls who represented Mt. St. Joseph at Girls' State held in Montpelier are: Jean Smith, Regina Valenty, Alice McLellan, Dolores LaFrance, and Margaret O'Rourke. Joseph Pomponio was elected Senator. Margaret O'Rourke was chosen Attorney-General.

In keeping with the annual custom at Mount Saint Joseph, at the beginning of the school year our studies and activities were dedicated to Our Blessed Mother at a ceremony in honor of Our Lady of Victory in which all students took part.

Early in the fall we chose our class officers: Leonard Courcelle, President; Joseph Quinlan, Treasurer; Anne Anoe, Vice President; and Regina Valenty, Secretary. Members elected to the Senior Student Council were Bernard Keefe, Katherine Loso, Oscar Watterlund, Dolores LaFrance, Mary Duprey, Pauline Cilo, Robert Napolitano, Francis Johnson, Jean Smith, Patricia Flynn, Edward Clifford, and Warren Bolin.

In September the annual student retreat, conducted by the Rev. Paul R. Power of the New England Jesuit Mission Band, was enjoyed by the entire student body.

The Senior Class entertained the Freshmen at a reception in the school gym, October 30.

Shortly after the opening of school, work was begun on the "Clarion," our student publication. Martha Norton was named Editor-in-Chief, with Richard Crowley as Business Manager. Joseph Quinlan was chosen Editor-in-Chief of the "Mount," our yearbook, and Charles Reardon was appointed Manager of the Business Board.

The Academy Football Squad completed one of its most successful seasons under the capable direction of Coach Branion. Leonard Courcelle and Joseph Lee were Co-Captains of the team, and Walter Galipeau was manager.

A much applauded Minstrel Show, "Let's Sing Again," was presented by the boys of M. S. J. November 21, 22, 23. Joseph Quinlan did a fine job as Interlocutor. Edward Clifford, Robert Hackett, Roy Rotella, Joseph Costello, Edward Welch, and Gene Roussil added much to the enjoyment with their performances as endmen.



## Class History (Continued)

A group of Seniors displayed their dramatic abilities in excellent performances of a three-act comedy, "College Daze" which was presented February 5, at St. Peter's Hall. The cast included Charles Reardon, Marcus Carr, Barbara Vitagliano, Edward Clifford, Joseph Formato, Mary Murphy, Jean Smith, Patricia Flynn, Marion Clifford, Ruth Thompson, Richard West, and Joseph Pomponio.

The Green Wave, captained by Louis Pokrywka, climaxed the 1945 basketball season by capturing the Southern Vermont championship. Warren Bolin, Louis Pokrywka and Edward Welch were named for the All-Tournament Five, and Warren Bolin received the additional honor of being chosen as the player most valuable to his team.

At the opening of the baseball season Robert Hackett was chosen captain, and Martin Carmody, Manager. The baseball squad enjoyed a very successful season, particularly in League Competition.

The annual procession in honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary was held in May. Mary Murphy, president of the Sodality, crowned the statue of Our Blessed Mother in the chapel. She was attended by four senior girls: Mary Marotti, Mary Hamilton, Mary Wallett, and Mary Burke. Anne Haddad, Pauline Cilo and Dolores LaFrance presented bouquets of flowers on behalf of the three Senior rooms. Sunday, May 6, we were guests of the Mt. St. Joseph Alumnae at their May Breakfast.

Five senior girls, Jean Smith, Patricia Flynn, Ruth Thompson, Jean Battles and Winnifred Clark, graduates of the Mt. St. Joseph Music Department entertained at a concert given at the Academy May 28. Under the direction of Rev. Richard Hegarty, S.J., we made our senior retreat May 28, 29, 30.

Monday evening, June 4 we enjoyed the Senior Ball, one of the highlights of Commencement week.

Early in the second semester Leonard Courcelle, our class president, and John Welch were called into service, and within the past month the names of Aldo Manfredi and James Dunn have been added to the Service Honor Roll of the Class of 1945. We miss these boys tonight, and we regret that they will not be with us for graduation.

On this occasion of our Class Night Exercises, we can not help but feel a note of sadness at leaving the Mount, where we had so many pleasant associations with our priests, teachers, and fellow students.

Friday evening we will hold our Commencement Exercises at the Armory, with His Excellency the Most Reverend Edward F. Ryan, D.D. presiding. We realize that our school days at Mt. St. Joseph are over, but the memory of our happy years at the Academy will be treasured always.

MARTHA NORTON,

Historian



## Class Prophecy

It was the year 1957. I had attended the Commencement Exercises of Mt. St. Joseph Academy. On returning home, I retired to rest early, but for some reason I found it hard to get to sleep. At last, however, I yielded to the spirit of "Drowsy Land," and before long a gentle voice seemed to whisper in my ear, "Dream Child, I bring you great joy. Speak not a word. Look toward the east."

In an instant in a colorful review my classmates passed before me, and the spirit of Dreamland told me about each one of them.

ANN VITEGLEO and ARMAND VALENTY are directors of the Vermont Art Studio.

They specialize in cartoon sketching.

MARGARET McGRAH has married a Naval officer and lives in a little seacoast town.

HELEN KRAMARZ recently rendered a violin solo in Carnegie Hall. The selection was, "Fiddlin' My Fiddle."

JOSEPHINE ALTOBELL is a chemistry teacher in Brooklyn. No homework is demanded by Jo.

ROSEANNE DONAHUE is now camera woman for Life Magazine.

FRANCIS JOHNSON's hearty laugh can be heard throughout the Lincoln Iron Works. He is in charge of the office.

PATRICIA JOYCE and MARY MAROTTI are employed by prominent local dentists. Their cheerful smiles make dentistry almost painless.

REGINA VALENTY, now connected with the Arthur Murray Dance Studios, has introduced a new dance hit, "The Rollicking Rotella Rumbango."

MARY FALCO, ALICE McLELLAN, and THERESA PALLUTTO hold responsible secretarial positions with prominent Rutland Businessmen.

ANGELINE MARGO is again national champion typist for the third successive year.

JANE CZACHOR models junior misses' fashions in an exclusive 5th Avenue shop.

ROBERT NAPOLITANO has been recently acclaimed Hollywood's newest male heart throb. Bob wasn't dreaming in vain, back in the '45 History class.

HELEN GRACE and DOREEN CAIN are telephone operators in New York City.

GERALDINE MOULTON is hostess at the new Prouse's Restaurant on Stratton Road.

GENEVIEVE RHEAUME and FRANCES POMINVILLE are supervisors in a large Albany hospital.

CHARLENE DUNKLEE and VERONICA SPAULDING are happily married and live in West Rutland.

LUCY SOFIA operates a fashionable beauty salon in Boston, specializing in hair styling. Miss MARY DUPREY is one of her most capable assistants.

JEAN RICCI writes books on child physchology.

BETTY KEARNEY is principal of Castleton Normal School.

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## Class Prophecy (Continued)

DOLORES LAFRANCE is in partnership with Arthur Murray.

GEORGE GALLAGHER drives the south belt bus, extending his route to the Creek Road.

LOREN GOUCHOE has advanced from a mechanic to an executive in a Springfield plant.

JEAN SMITH is the wife of a famous athlete.

RAY WALSH is touring the world in his helicopter.

ALDO MANFREDI is awaiting promotion to the rank of admiral.

WALTER GALLIPEAU is managing the Boston Red Sox.

BERNARD KEEFE has retired after cashing in his war bonds.

JANET BEAN is an instructor at the Boston School of Art.

ELAINE LAFOND is a private secretary for a wealthy banker.

OSCAR WATTERLUND has turned the John Powers models co-ed.

MARTIN CARMODY has passed his Hollywood Screen test.

ART SHAPIRO has gone back to New York with a Vermont accent.

KAY LOSO is happily married to a colonel in the Army.

MARY BURKE is night superintendent at the Rutland Hospital.

HELEN ALBERICO is now an officer in the Waves.

LOU POKRYWKA is basketball coach at the Mount.

JEAN BATTLES and ELIZABETH REARDON are supervisors at St. Vincent's Hospital, New York City.

JOHN WELCH is president of the Transcontinental Airlines.

MARJORIE McLAUGHLIN is History teacher at the Academy.

ROBERT HACKETT is a second Knute Rockne, coaching Notre Dame teams.

PAULINE CILO is principal of Mt. St. Joseph Academy.

JOHN BROWN is test pilot in Mexico.

ANNE ANOE and YVONNE KENNEDY are members of the National Peace Committee at Washington.

MARY HAMILTON is fashion adviser for difficult figures.

BARBARA VITAGLIANO is starring in a new hit on Broadway: "Meet Me at the A. and P."

KATHRYN KELLEY is hostess on the Transcontinental Airlines.

RICHARD CROWLEY is third curate of St. Peter's Church.

The honor of being the best dressed woman of 1955 has been bestowed upon MARY WALLETT.

MARTHA NORTON is editor of the New York Herald Tribune. When you look for Martha look up front, for she is always there.

Two brilliant scientists, ROBERT ROACH and JAMES HARRISON have discovered a method by which the human being may eat, drink, work, play, and still sleep through it all.



## Class Prophecy (Continued)

PATRICIA FLYNN is the most envied woman in Rutland. She is the owner of twenty-five fur coats.

The editor of the "Bigger and Better Humor Magazine" is WARREN BOLIN—the wittiest of wits.

LEONARD COURCELLE is resting on his laurels. He made history in the Air Corps during World War II.

PEGGY HARTE has taken up permanent residence in Middlebury!

ANN HADDAD, our prima donna, has become the Phantom of the Opera.

With baton in hand, EDWARD CLIFFORD leads his famous orchestra at the Hollywood Palladium. The fame of JOSEPH FORMATO, his vocalist is even more widespread than Frank Sinatra's when he thrilled the bobby-sock brigade way back in '45.

MARY MURPHY has become one of the most influential authorities on affairs of the heart.

HENRY CARROLL is the proud proprietor of Hank's Taxi Service.

MARION CLIFFORD is Mrs. "you know who."

WENNIFRED CLARK has improved many of Mozart's and Mendelsohn's compositions.

At a meeting of the Green Mountail Council, JOSEPH POMPONIO was appointed director of the Boy Scouts of America.

CHARLES REARDON has become a dominating figure in the dramatic world and aptly called the Charles Boyer of 1955.

JOSEPH QUINLAN is the president of the "Fair Haven to Rutland Interurban."

JOSEPH LEE has taken off in his rocket ship from Rutland Airport on a trip to the moon.

There will be no need for Parisian shopping when all the world pays tribute to ROSE McARDLE—designer par excellence—owner of the "Une Peu de Tout Shoppe," Fifth Avenue, New York.

EDWARD WELCH is one of the most popular sports editors America has ever known.

JAMES McLAUGHLIN, after much self-experimentation, has discovered a remarkable cure for insomnia.

JEAN GRACE, having served on the Bicycle Court during her younger days has become superintendent of the traffic regulation department in Rutland.

Everyone knew that HELEN YOTT took life seriously but no one thought that she would become Mother Superior in the Carmelite order.

JAMES DUNN is still recalling his experiences as an "old salt."

Because of his ability to solve the most intricate problems in the study of the French language back in '45 SILVIO VALENTE has been named the most outstanding linguist in America.

RUTH THOMPSON has realized her girlhood dreams of a bungalow in sunny California with a "certain person."

As the Spirit of Dreamland vanished, so did the lovely pageant.

## Class Will

We, the class of 1945, being of sound body and sane mind, do ordain this document to be our last will and testament and in the presence of duly authorized witnesses, we hereby make the following bequests:

To our teachers we express our thanks for the help, patience, and encouragement they have bestowed on us during our fairly regular attendance at M. S. J.

WENNIFRED CLARK passes on her piano playing ability to "88" Keys. ED WELCH leaves his all-tourney berth to Joe Costello.

JAMES HARRISON wills his "oil burner" to the Smithsonian Institute. MARY HAMILTON leaves her love behind.

JAMES McLAUGHLIN leaves his sleeping pills to the victims of insomnia.

ROBERT ROACH bestows his skill in the chemistry lab to anyone who needs it.

SILVIO VALENTE gives his well-worn Latin Book to the scrapdrive.

JOE FORMATO imparts his crooning ability to Bob McNulty.

MARTHA NORTON wills a lock of her hair to a certain junior.

LOU POKRYWKA imparts his love of the "Polish Polka" to Joe Czachor.

DICK CROWLEY leaves his "full of business" manner to Bob Grace.

ANNE HADDAD bequeaths a recording of her vocal solos to the "boys over there."

ALDO MANFREDI leaves his usher's uniform for that of a blue jacket.

JEAN GRACE gives a copy of her book of rules on "How to play Hookey" to Claire Kelly.

ROSE McARDLE wills her witty remarks to her sister, Veronica.

ED CLIFFORD leaves by the nearest exit.

HENRY CARROLL gives his back seat to the first one to reach it.

BETTY RUTH THOMPSON gives her dates to the Center St. Fruit Market.

JOE QUINLAN leaves his scholastic ability and pleasing personality to Paul Bresnahan.

BETTY KEARNEY leaves the honor of ringing the bell at the change of periods to Major Bowes.

MARY BURKE passes her line of talk to anyone who wants it.

ARTHUR SHAPIRO presents his chemistry research information to the school library.

ROBERT HACKETT leaves his abilities as an incentive to good students.

JANET BEANE leaves her dignity to Charlie Barrett.

HELEN KRAMARZ bequeaths her violin to her brother William.

JOHN BROWN wills his baseball glove to the trophy case.

MARY DUPREY offers her hair styles to all girls who like variety.

VERONICA SPAULDING leaves her good nature to Donald Looby.

RAY WALSH leaves his cards to Dick West.

GEORGE GALLAGHER presents his bicycle to the school in memoriam.

OSCAR WATTERLUND leaves his flashy outfits to "The Count Brud Wallett."

WALT GALLIPEAU leaves the management of the football team to any patient man.

HELEN GRACE gives her long walk to school to Peggy Westcott.

REGINA VALENTY leaves her dancing shoes to Marilyn LaFrance.

KATHRYN KELLEY leaves a few inches of height to her brother Specks.

ROSEANNE DONAHUE passes on her taxi service to Lucy Flory.

ANNE ANOE gives her ambitious nature to Danny Intellisano.

YVONNE KENNEDY passes her quiet nature to Marcus Carr.

## Class Will (Continued)

FRANCES POMINVILLE presents her love of silence to Bernie Conway.  
 JOSEPHINE ALTOBEL leaves a striking resemblance to Joan Valente.  
 DOREEN CAIN leaves several packages of slightly used gum.  
 CHARLENE DUNKLEE leaves much shoe leather on the corridors.  
 JEAN RICCI passes on the task of selling tickets to Pat Burke.  
 BARBARA VITAGLIANO leaves her dramatic skill to the cast of next year's senior play.  
 ANGELINE MARGO leaves many echoes ringing through the typing room.  
 PAULINE CILO leaves the place on the Honor Roll to Charlotte Alexander.  
 LUCY SOFIA leaves her corny jokes to Sammy Cotrupi.  
 LOREN GOUCHOE leaves to all a fear of report cards and exams.  
 GERALDINE MOULTON and HELEN ALBERICO leave for Prouse's.  
 PATRICIA JOYCE leaves behind her twelve long years of work.  
 GENEVIEVE RHEAUME leaves her pleasant smile to Pat Hurley.  
 ARMAND VALENTE leaves his salesmanship to the Business Boards of the Mount and the Clarion.  
 MARGARET MCGRATH leaves her shorthand notes to Margaret Carroll.  
 THERESA POLLUTTO donates her studious nature to Joe Harrison.  
 JANE CZACHOR leaves the art of keeping quiet to Bernie Hurley.  
 MARY FALCO leaves her Cinderella Sweet disposition to Ken Casey.  
 MARY MAROTTI leaves her commercial studies to Elaine LeFevre.  
 KAY LOSO presents her vocal chords to hold the curtains in the Music Room.  
 JOE LEE leaves his "Hill Billy Tunes" to the Hit Parade.  
 BETTY REARDON leaves with Dolores LaFrance.  
 BERNIE KEEFE gives his numerous nicknames to "Who's Who."  
 JEAN BATTLES imparts her friendly manner to Joanne LeVangie.  
 JOE POMPONIO wills his Boy Scout Uniform to Quido Notte.  
 HELEN YOTT leaves her shyness to Doreen Burke.  
 MARGARET O'ROURKE bequeaths her scholastic ability to Mimi Canney.  
 MARTY CARMODY gives his gasoline ration book to Bill Foley.  
 CHARLES REARDON leaves his dramatic talent to the Lux Radio Theatre.  
 JEAN SMITH leaves many friends at the Mount.  
 JAMES DUNN left for the United States Navy.  
 MARY WALLETT wills her quiet way to Pat Battles.  
 FRANCIS JOHNSON leaves for Hollywood to compete with his namesake, Van.  
 WARREN BOLIN bequeaths his basketball ability to "Mimi" Caliguir.  
 MARY MURPHY leaves her green raincoat to Ann McLaughlin.  
 ROBERT NAPOLITANO extends his sympathy to those who are left behind.  
 MARION CLIFFORD imparts her sweet manner to Fagan's Confectionary.  
 JOHN WELCH bequeaths his nonchalant attitude to Bill Flory.  
 ALICE MCLELLAN leaves with fondest recollections.  
 MARGUERITE HARTE wills her love of the Navy to Jean Chamberland.  
 PAT FLYNN imparts her good humor to the Fro Joy Ice Cream Co.  
 LEN COURCELLE leaves his chair at Vern Ackley's Gas Station to Art Crowley.  
 MARJORIE McLAUGHLIN leaves her school spirit to next year's cheer leaders.  
 ANNE VITTAGLEO leaves her artistic skill to Anne Fagan.  
 ELAINE LAFOND leaves her variety of excuses to Davy Keefe.

In witness whereof we have hereunto subscribed our names and seal to this last decisive will and testament of our class, this eighth day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-five.

ROBERT HACKETT, ROBERT ROACH

WITNESSES: Dick Tracy, Coach Branton



## Class Melodies

JOSEPH FORMATO	"Maybe"
EDWARD WELCH	"Bessie in a Bustle"
JAMES HARRISON	"Anchors Aweigh"
MARTHA NORTON	"Danny Boy"
JOSEPH POMPONIO	"McNamara's Band"
JOSEPH LEE	"Making Believe"
MARY WALLETT	"You Are My Sunshine"
ANNE HADDAD	"Say a Prayer for the Boys Over There"
MARJORIE McLAUGHLIN	"Swinging On a Star"
ROSE McARDLE	"Don't Fence Me In"
KAY LOSO	"Billy Boy"
ARTHUR SHAPIRO	"O My Darling"
WALTER GALLIEAU	"Mary"
ALDO MANFREDI	"San Francisco"
HELEN ALBERICO	"Here Comes the Navy"
BETTY KEARNEY	"The Bells of St. Mary's"
LOUIS POKRYWKA	"Angelina"
ROSEANNE DONAHUE	"Can You Bake a Cherry Pie?"
RAYMOND WALSH	"In My Merry Oldsmobile"
GEORGE GALLAGHER	"Let's Take the Long Way Home"
JOHN BROWN	"Ain't Misbehaving"
MARY HAMILTON	"Oh, Johnny"
FRANCIS JOHNSON	"I'll Get By"
PATRICIA JOYCE	"Chew, Chew, Your Bubble Gum"
HELEN KRAMARZ	"Music From My Violin"
ROBERT NAPOLITANO	"Sleep"
JEAN RICCI	"Anybody Here Seen Kelley?"
LUCY SOFIA	"Can't Help Singing"
ARMAND VALENTE	"Dream"
BARBARA VITAGLIANO	"Take Me Out to the Ball Game"

## Class Alphabet

For A we have Alberico, Altobell, Anoe;  
B brings us Battles, Bean, Brown, Bolin, and Burke;  
C is for Cain, Carmody, Clark, Cilo, and Carroll;  
For our two Cliffords, for Crowley, Czachor, and Len Courcelle;  
D stands for Dunn, Dunklee, Duprey, and Donahue;  
E is for excellent, the kind of work we do;  
F recalls Falco, Flynn, and Formato;  
G brings us Grace, Gouchoe, Gallagher, and Gallipeau;  
H stands for Hackett, Haddad, Hamilton, Harrison, and Harte;  
I is for indolence, in which we have no part;  
J gives us Johnson, and Patricia Joyce;  
K is for Kearney, Keefe, Kelly, Kennedy, and Kramarz;  
L is for Lafond, LaFrance, Lee, and Kay Loso;  
M is for Margo, McArdle, McGrath, Moulton, and Murphy;  
For Marotti, McLaughlin, McLellan, and Manfredi;  
N is for Norton, for Napolitano, who loves work;  
O is for our cheerleader, Peggy O'Rourke;  
P stands for Pokrywka, Pominville, and Pallutto,  
For our band leader, Pomponio, our studious Joe;  
Q is for Quinlan, Editor-in-Chief of the Mount;  
R stands for Reardon, Rheaume, Ricci, and Roach—  
Four to the count;  
S is for Shapiro, Sofia, Smith, and Spaulding;  
T brings us Betty Thompson, of course, always smiling;  
U is for us, the Class of '45,  
And for the ideals for which we strive;  
V stands for Vitegleo, Valenty, and Vitagliano;  
Who are always happy wherever they go;  
W is for Walsh, Wallett, Welch, and Watterlund;  
X is our contribution to the old age fund;  
Y is for Yott, our Helen, from Bennington,  
Z is for zenith, our place in the sun!

KAY LOSO

## Wanted

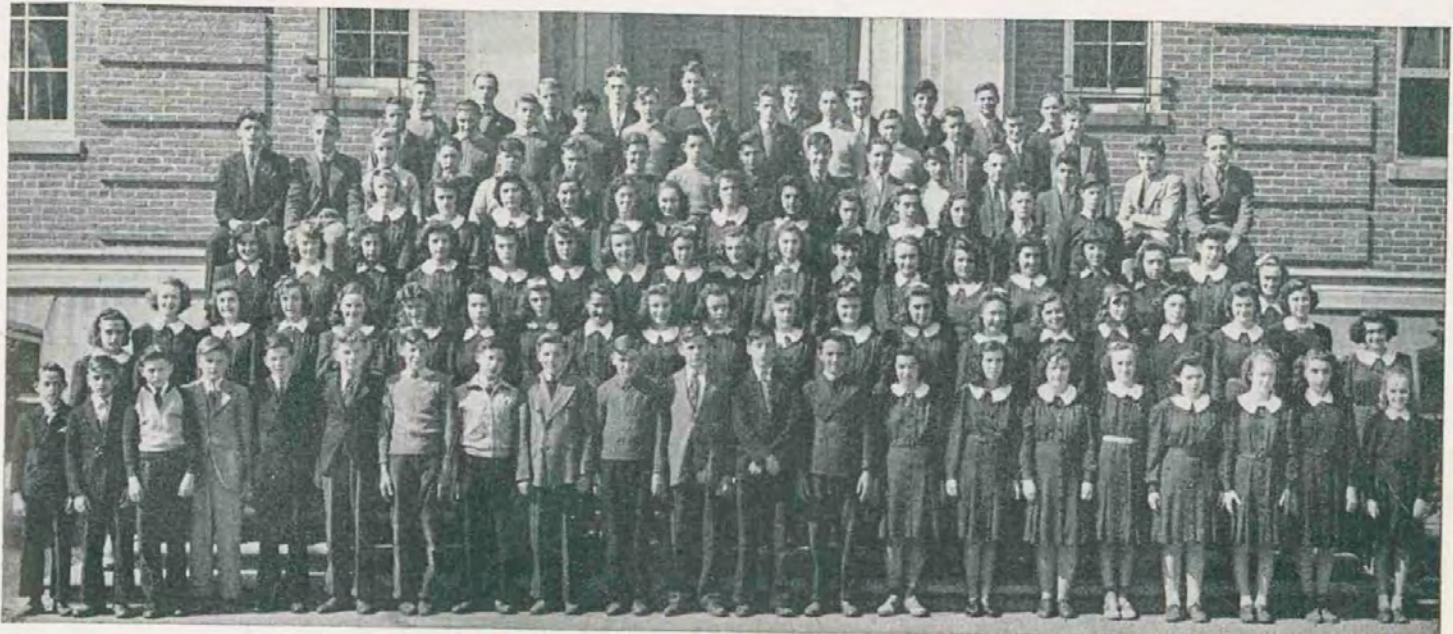
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EDWARD CLIFFORD  
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VERONICA SPAULDING  
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JIMMY HARRISON  
MARY FALCO  
JOE LEE  
BERNARD KEEFE  
MARION CLIFFORD  
JOSEPH QUINLAN  
WALTER GALLIPEAU  
LOREN GOUCHOE  
ARTHUR SHAPIRO  
MARTHA NORTON  
MARTIN CARMODY  
GENEVIEVE RHEAUME  
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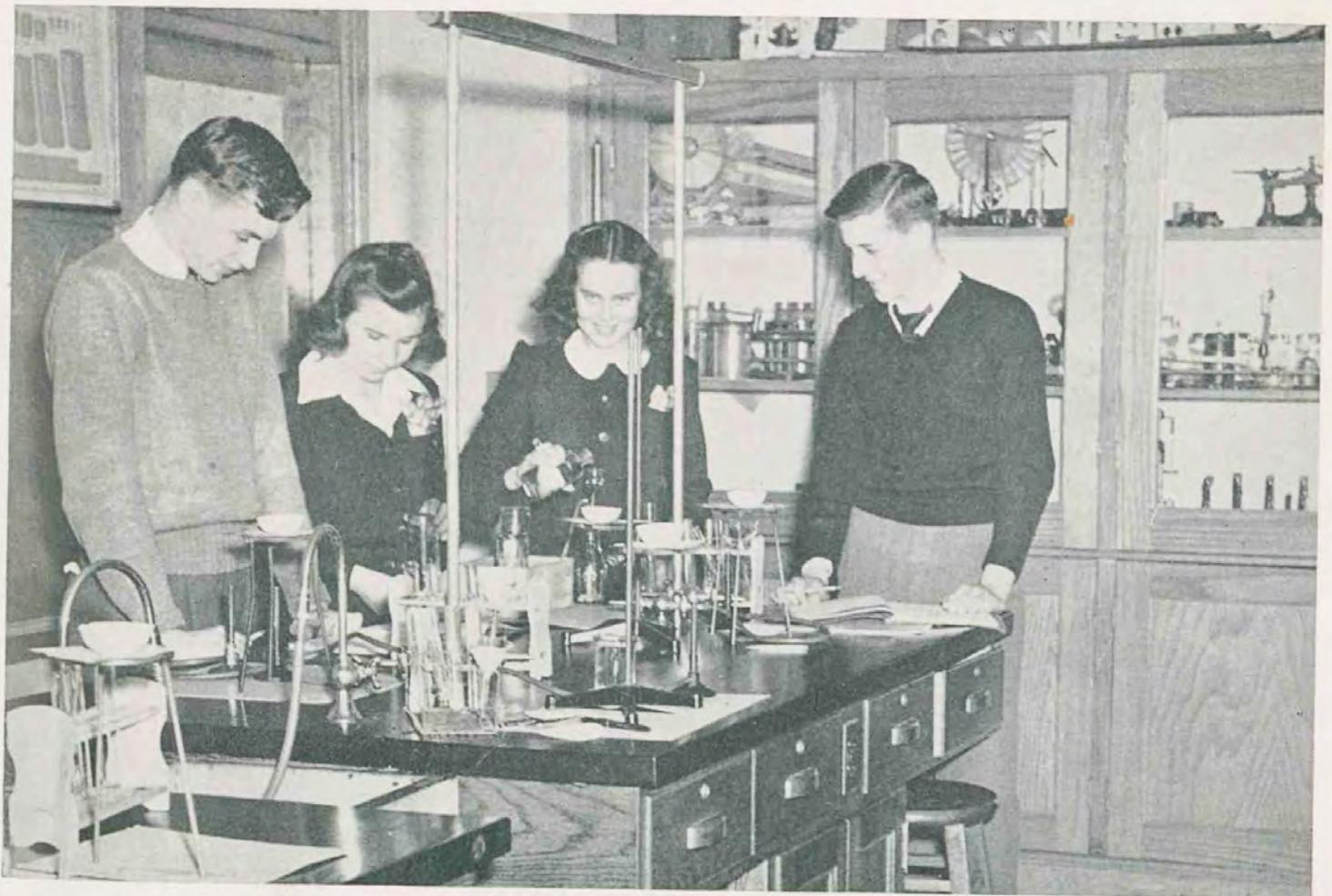
one-way railroad ticket to the South  
a new deck of cards  
ten inches of height  
private dancing teacher  
book on "The Life of Grace"  
electric razor  
memo book to record her dates  
tryout with New York Yankees  
photograph of Jimmy Harrison  
his pal, Joe Lee  
an award for safe driving  
three periods of Chemistry a day  
a supply of gum  
permanent possession of his sense of humor  
more additions to his wardrobe  
job with the "Quiz Kids"  
position as French teacher at M. S. J.  
a "mike" for crooning purposes  
a Ford convertible  
a new alibi for not wearing a uniform  
a job as Blues singer  
an alarm clock  
a thirty-hour day  
a bunk reserved at Sampson  
a sweet tooth for her candy  
some "new" excuses for tardiness  
a shorter haircut  
position as cheerleader at Chippenhook  
an Oscar for his Latin translations  
a leather medal for his work in football  
subscription to Reader's Digest  
a more noticeable New York accent  
ownership of the "New York Times"  
a salute to his long term as baseball manager  
a vacation in New York  
a few more years at M. S. J.  
more "C" coupons  
a place in Spike Jones' City Slickers  
more waves in his hair  
rules for mountain climbing  
a vote at the San Francisco Conference  
a trip with Martha

## Class Ballot

Most Representative	Margaret O'Rourke	Joseph Quinlan
Most Courteous	Jane Czachor	Charles Reardon
Most Popular	Ruth Thompson	Leonard Courcelle
Most Studious	Elizabeth Kearney	Joseph Pomponio
Most Obedient	Alice McLellan	John Brown
Most Gullible	Josephine Altobell	Raymond Walsh
Most Practical	Elizabeth Reardon	Silvio Valente
Most Class Spirit	Dolores LaFrance	Bernard Keefe
Most Dignified	Mary Falco	Joseph Formato
Most Serious	Janet Bean	George Gallagher
Most Nonchalant	Patricia Flynn	Henry Carroll
Most Punctual	Yvonne Kennedy	Joseph Pomponio
Most Likely to Succeed	Helen Yott	Joseph Pomponio
Most Nerve	Mary Duprey	Arthur Shapiro
Most Ambitious	Anne Anoe	Silvio Valente
Most Bashful	Jean Battles	James Harrison
Most Dated Girl	Mary Murphy	
Most Businesslike	Pauline Cilo	Richard Crowley
Tardiest	Charlene Dunklee	Arthur Shapiro
Best Scholar	Margaret O'Rourke	Joseph Pomponio
Best Personality	Jean Smith	Joseph Quinlan
Best Singer	Anne Haddad	Edward Clifford
Best Looking	Marion Clifford	Leonard Courcelle
Best Musician	Helen Kramarz	Joseph Pomponio
Best Athlete	Dolores LaFrance	Robert Hackett
Best Hearted	Marjorie McLaughlin	James Dunn
Best Dancer	Regina Valenty	Edward Clifford
Best All-Round	Martha Norton	Robert Hackett
Class Wit	Mary Burke	Warren Bolin
Class Poet	Kay Loso	Joseph Lee
Class Optimist	Rose McArdle	Edward Welch
Class Baby	Mary Wallett	Armand Valente



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## SENIOR KNOCKS

NAME	EXPRESSION	ALIBI	AMBITION
Raymond Walsh	"Hey! Veronica!"	"No Gas"	To be a card shark
Aldo Manfredi	"Tickets, please"	"Had choir practice"	To be manager of Grand Theatre
Walter Gallipeau	"Don't be silly"	"Too busy"	To be a big League Manager
Martin Carmody	"Take a deep breath"	"Been too busy"	To be a policeman
Oscar Watterlund	"Mon-Sonne"	"Got to go to work"	"To own Carbine's
Kay Loso	"Who, Bill!"	"Had to write a letter!"	To be a Waac
Louis Pokrywka	"Yeah-sure"	"Got to catch a bus"	To work for Denny
Loren Gouchoe	"Pass me a wrench"	"Been to Springfield"	To be a Machinist
Arthur Shapiro	"Don't be foolish"	"Been down to Lab"	To be a "Mad Scientist"
Roseanne Donahue	"Oh! My Gosh!"	"Had to go to the Post Office"	To beat all the red lights
Josephine Altobell	"Who do you think I am?"	"I'm busy"	To win the Hollywood Oscar of 1950
Anne Anoe	"Oh, joy!"	"Forgot"	To be a professional bowler
John Brown	"I guess so"	"Need paper"	To repair radios
Doreen Cain	"Don't bother me"	"Had to meet Charlene"	To be a clothes designer
Pauline Cilo	"Well?"	"Had to do shorthand"	To be a Power's model
Jane Czachor	"Why not?"	"Had a flat tire"	To be a private secretary
Charlene Dunklee	"Jeepers"	"Went to West Rutland"	To be employed in Justice Bureau
Mary Durpey	"That's close"	"Long way from Proctor"	To answer all her fan mail
Mary Falco	"Just imagine"	"Stayed for Lab"	To be a prominent nurse
Helen Grace	"I dood it!"	"Had to wash my hair"	To be a cover-girl for the best selling magazine
Joseph Lee	"A Fine Thing"	"Had to go to detention"	To get a good night's sleep
James McLaughlin	"Where's the place?"	"Got up early"	To be head "route boy"
Robert Hackett	"Are you kidding?"	"Got to practice"	To be another Fred Astaire
Silvio Valenty	"Going upstream?"	"The car's full"	To own a bus
Jean Grace	"Clear as mud"	"Have to stay in"	To be popular
Winnifred Clark	"Oh, I know!"	"Got to go to 'Theory'"	To master "boogie-woogie"
Betty Thompson	"Do you really mean it?"	"Didn't see you"	To drive a convertible
Patricia Flynn	"Hey! What!"	"Got to wait for Duffy"	To teach French



NAME	EXPRESSION
Joseph Lee	"Got any paper?"
James McLaughlin	"Cut it out"
Robert Hackett	"What-a?"
Silvio Valenty	"All's Well"
Jean Grace	"That's Close"
Winnifred Clark	"You Know"
Betty Thompson	"Got any gum?"
Patricia Flynn	"Where's the flag?"
Josephine Altobell	"Don't just stand there; say something!"
Helen Grace	"Sure is nice"
Josephine Donahue	"How to go"
Josephine Watterlund	"That's right"
Josephine Lee	"Hi, Kids"
Josephine Cilo	"Oh, ta"
Josephine Czachor	"I dunno"
Josephine Dunklee	"Come on"
Josephine Durpey	"What's cooking?"
Josephine Falco	"That's a riot"
Josephine Flynn	"Oh, gee!"
Josephine Anoe	"No"
Josephine Loso	"Is that so?"
Josephine Grace	"Spray that again"
Josephine Lee	"Oh, Mother!"
Josephine Czachor	"Sure"
Josephine Dunklee	"Gee, whiz!"
Josephine Durpey	"Let's go home!"
Josephine Falco	"Now you're talking!"
Josephine Flynn	"My relatives are here!"

## SENIOR KNOCKS

NAME	EXPRESSION	ALIBI	AMBITION
Ann Haddad	"I didn't get it"	"The car broke down"	To sing in Carnegie Hall
Henry Carroll	"Got here too early"	"Had to study"	To learn to roller-skate
Joseph Formato	"Had to stay"	"Was at the show"	To visit an Art Gallery
Charles Reardon	"I lost it"	"I won't be here"	To learn more and more
Marguerite Harte	"Was up at Shangraw's"	"Couldn't get here"	To leave Rutland
Bette Reardon	"The bus was late"	"Didn't know it"	To own a candy shop
Mary Murphy	"The bus was late"	"Have to go on a hike"	To leave Pine Hill
Joseph Quinlan	"I won't be here"	"Have to be in early"	To be flag raiser at White House
John Welch	"Gotta go to work"	"Was at Mass"	To "Fly"
Edward Clifford	"Gotta date"	"Gotta date"	To sing like "Frankie"
Martha Norton	"Gotta go to work"	"Gotta go to work"	To be or not to be
Joseph Pomponio	"Didnt hear the alarm"	"Gotta go to work"	To be a General
Rose McArdle	"Had to stay with 'Bombie'"	"Gotta go to work"	To design for Mademoiselle
James Dunn	"Had to meet the kids"	"Gotta date"	To sail the seas
Mary Hamilton	"Come on"	"Gotta go to work"	To be a saleslady
Francis Johnson	"What's cooking?"	"Gotta go to work"	To clean windows on skyscrapers
Kathryn Kelly	"That's a riot"	"Gotta go to work"	To pass laws eliminating History
Yvonne Kennedy	"Oh, gee!"	"Gotta go to work"	To understand football
Patricia Joyce	"Just got here"	"Gotta go to work"	To sing with Jimmie Miller and his Saddlemates
Helen Kramarz	"I'm all mixed up!"	"Gotta go to work"	To be a symphony violinist
Angelina Margo	"Got some business on Marble Ave."	"Gotta go to work"	To be a champion Typist
Mary Marotti	"My relatives are here!"	"Gotta go to work"	To move to East Washington Street
Margaret McGrath	"Had to take care of kids"	"Gotta go to work"	To run a children's nursery
Alice McLellan	"Just got here"	"Gotta go to work"	To be a typewriter mechanic
Geraldine Moulton	"I'm all mixed up!"	"Gotta go to work"	To be a bookkeeper
Robert Napolitano	"Got some business on Marble Ave."	"Gotta go to work"	To be a professor of History
Theresa Palutto	"My relatives are here!"	"Gotta go to work"	To be a court stenographer

## SENIOR KNOCKS

NAME	EXPRESSION	ALIBI	AMBITION
Francis Pominville	"Maybe"	"Didn't have time"	To be a doctor
Genevieve Rheume	"Really"	"Gotta put my hair up"	To be an anatomist
Jean Ricci	"See you later"	"Gotta sell tickets"	To establish "latest information bureau",
Lucy Sofia	"I'm not kidding"	"Is it that late?"	To be manager of a large concern
Veronica Spaulding	"Golly"	"Couldn't help it"	To be a Chemistry teacher
Armand Valenty	"Are you kidding?"	"Business delay"	To reach the six-foot mark
Regina Valenty	"Wonderful creature"	"Roy was down"	To move to Chaffee Ave.
Mary Wallett	"Oh, Stop"	"Wasn't ready"	To meet Van Johnson
James Harrison	"Got the gas?"	"Couldn't wait"	To be a taxi driver
Richard Crowley	"What about it?"	"Gotta go to Church"	To own a paper
Marjorie McLaughlin	"What do you do now?"	"Can't do it"	To go to Hollywood
Marion Clifford	"Now let me see"	"Maybe the next time"	To take a trip to New York
Robert Roach	"Holy Cow"	"Couldn't do it"	To be a movie magnate
Jean Smith	"Pretty sharp"	"Had to wait for Martha"	To go to many dances
Jean Battles	"Hurry up, Minnie"	"Have to stay in"	To get a license
Warren Bolin	"Come on, Kids"	"Couldn't find it"	To be an M. S. J. coeach
Helen Yott	"By Gravy"	"Was upstairs"	To be a professor
Edward Welch	"Where to?"	"Didn't have time"	To be a soda jerker
Leonard Courcelle	"Not bad"	"Was at the station"	To bomb Tokyo
Margaret O'Rourke	"Eh-a"	"Gotta work"	To manage Endicott's
Bernard Keefe	"Better'n That"	"Had a hard night"	To retire
Elaine LaFond	"Couldn't make it"	"That's What!"	To be Assistant Manager of Woolworth's
Mary Burke	"Crying out loud"	"I didn't have time"	To be a famous athlete
Helen Alberico	"Jeekers"	"Too tired"	To be a Navy Nurse
Janet Bean	"Golly"	"Couldn't get around to"	To be a designer
Dolores LaFrance	"I don't care"	"Oh! I forgot!"	To drive a car
Betty Kearney	"Good Enough"	"Been in the office"	To be a teacher
George Gallagher	"Hi"	"Had to do homework"	To be a professor
Barbara Vitagliano	"You think so?"	"I was going to"	To understand Joe
Anna Vitteglio	"Oh, sweet misery"		To be an artist



JUNIOR CLASS

Carmen Abatiell	William Flory	Elizabeth Nichols
Clement Abatiell	William Foley	Martha Noonan
Charlotte Alexander	June Fox	Quido Notte
Joseph Alfonso	Donald Fucci	John Noyes
Mary Alfonso	June Gale	Mary Nugent
John Arthur	Beverly Garafano	Christine O'Brien
Margaret Bachand	Mary Garafano	Geraldine O'Byrne
Patricia Battles	Peter Giotti	Mary O'Connor
Veronica Blickarz	Robert Grace	Raymond Pratico
Monica Brennan	Joseph Harrison	Mary Quinn
Paul Bresnahan	Edward Hogan	Virginia Quinn
Doreen Burke	Arthur Horvath	Roberta Quinn
Louis Cala	Patricia Hughes	Laura Rizziere
Mary Canney	Bernard Hurley	Carmella Ragosta
Marcus Carr	Stephen Johnson	Roy Rotella
Daniel Carroll	David Keefe	Irene Rouba
Margaret Carroll	Bernard Kelley	Barbara Roussil
Jean Chamberland	Lorraine Lee	Alice Scaffide
Phylis Chase	Mary Lee	Lena Segale
Marie Chofuette	Elaine Lefevre	Mary Segale
Noella Choquette	Arnold LeFrancois	Stanley Skaza
Francis Cioff	Gertrude Lenoci	Marie Stomper
Mary Coccia	Joanne LeVangie	Edward St. Peter
Helen Combatti	Donald Looby	Charlotte Sullivan
John Connell	Richard Mangan	Richard Sullivan
Samuel Cotrupi	Josephine Margo	Richard Terenzini
James Creed	Frances Marinucci	Palma Trapeni
Yolanda Crosta	Paul Martin	Kathleen Tree
Arthur Crowley	Rita McCarvell	Anne Valente
Joseph Czachor	Ann McLaughlin	Francis Wallert
Beverly Dezero	Jeanne McMahon	Dolores Warner
Dorothy Dwyer	Donald Medlin	Mary Welch
Mary Esposito	Janet Montany	Richard West
Angela Farino	John Mooney	Margaret Westcott
Mary T. Farrell	Mary F. Mullin	Charmaine Whittemore
Lucy Flory	Robert Mullin	Harold Young

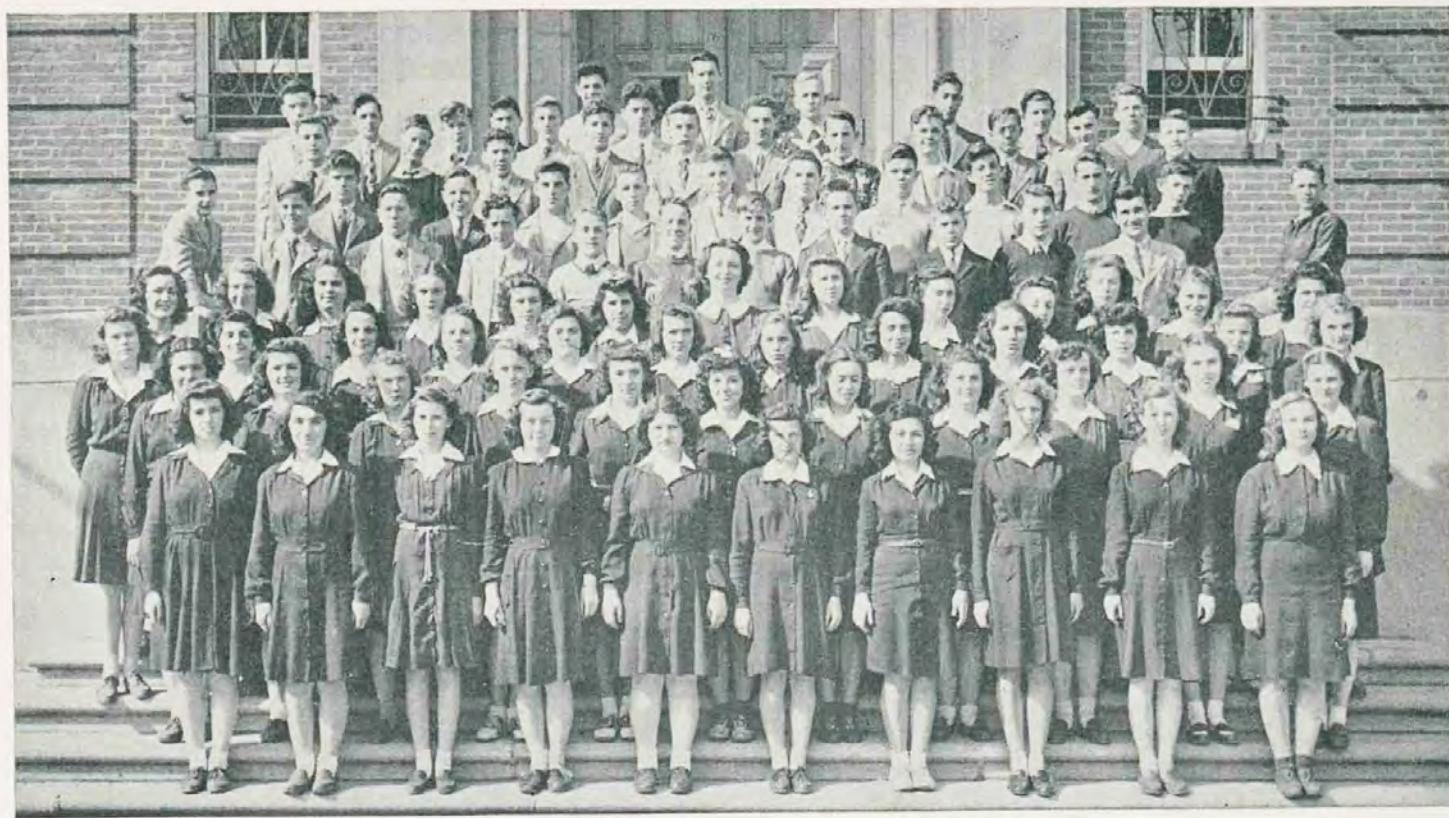


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Mary Abatielle  
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 Anne Avery  
 Charles Barrett  
 Henry Battles  
 Leslie Bearss  
 Walter Branchaud  
 Berna Burke  
 Bernard Bushee  
 Constance Cala  
 Dominic Caliguire  
 Phylis Carr  
 Patricia Carroll  
 Doreen Chase  
 Frank Cioffi  
 Louise Cioffi  
 John Clifford  
 Bernard Conway  
 Evelyn Costello  
 Joseph Costello  
 Stella Cotrupi  
 Arthur Courcelle  
 Eugene Coyle  
 Patricia Creed  
 Mary Crowley  
 Joan Daley  
 Patricia DeLance  
 Henry DelBianco  
 Grace Deletoso  
 Lenore DeLoria  
 John DiPalma  
 Francis Donovan  
 Elliott Doty

Mary Jane Duffy  
 Irene Dunham  
 Robert Dwyer  
 Helen Enfield  
 James Fleming  
 Corinne Flynn  
 Guido Forte  
 Marion Gallagher  
 Anthony Garafano  
 Mary Gilman  
 Bernard Gouchoe  
 Geraldine Grady  
 Justine Hackett  
 Patricia Hamilton  
 June Harrison  
 Margaret Harvey  
 Robert Higgins  
 Mary Hurley  
 Patricia Hurley  
 Daniel Intelisano  
 Anastacia Jakubowski  
 Daniel Jennings  
 John Joyce  
 John Kelly  
 Claire Kelley  
 William Kramarz  
 Shirley LaCoe  
 Cecile LaFond  
 Marilyn LaFrance  
 Geraldine Lawrence  
 Gerald LeFevre  
 Barbara Lipp  
 Mary Loseby  
 Phoebe Lynch  
 James Magner  
 Paul Mangan

Veronica McArdle  
 Alice McCarthy  
 Doreen McDevitt  
 Claire McLaughlin  
 Barbara McNeil  
 Robert McNulty  
 Alice Meehan  
 John Miglis  
 William Miglis  
 Francis Moulton  
 Virginia Notte  
 Eleanor Noyes  
 Isabella Pandozzi  
 Josephine Panorella  
 Clementine Parker  
 Gloria Parker  
 Gladys Peryer  
 Paschal Polcaro  
 Theresa Przybyto  
 Bernard Reardon  
 John Roach  
 Rose Marie Rousseau  
 Mary Ryan  
 Mary Salerni  
 Robert Solari  
 Ellen Stanzione  
 Paul St. Charles  
 Clayton Stewart  
 Lorraine Stewart  
 Edward Sullivan  
 James Traynor  
 Joan Valente  
 Rita Ward  
 Robert Westcott



FRESHMAN CLASS

Mary Abbott  
 Wayne Fox  
 Charlotte Aher  
 Rose Fucci  
 Victor Altobell  
 Loretta Gabco  
 Francis Aquistopace  
 Edward Garrow  
 John Benincasa  
 Howard Gilbert  
 Adam Blickarz  
 Henry Blickarz  
 Marguerite Bracken  
 Thomas Brennan  
 Robert Brothers  
 Marilyn Brough  
 Carolyn Burke  
 Frances Burke  
 Joanne Burke  
 Patricia Burke  
 Virginia Cameron  
 John Cannon  
 Therese Cannon  
 Peter Carroll  
 Kenneth Casey  
 Alfonso Cioffi  
 Louise Coccia  
 Mary Combatti  
 Jennie Cotrupi  
 Vernon Creed  
 Richard DelBianco  
 Roberta Dezero  
 Charlotte Dunn  
 Robert Dupaw  
 Lorraine Eaton  
 Zoe Elkey  
 Ann Fagan  
 Thomson Fagan  
 Nancy Falco  
 John Farino  
 Doris Fitzgerald  
 Raymond Flynn  
 Monica Foster

Paul Moulton  
 Robert Moulton  
 Rita Mulcahey  
 Elizabeth Mullen  
 Arthur Napolitano  
 Elizabeth Neil  
 Mary Lou Norton  
 Francis Nugent  
 Anne O'Brien  
 Edward O'Connell  
 Nancy O'Rourke  
 Patricia O'Shea  
 Arlene Pelkey  
 Yvette Pominville  
 Philip Pratico  
 Mary Putnam  
 Marianne Rice  
 Frank Ragosta  
 Richard Sanders  
 Shirley Seager  
 Armand Segale  
 Edward Senecal  
 Edward Shoro  
 Danny Spine  
 Hugh Terenzini  
 John Terenzini  
 Eileen Thompson  
 William Timbers  
 Therese Tripodi  
 Ettore Valleroli  
 Grace Valleroli  
 Hattie Vero  
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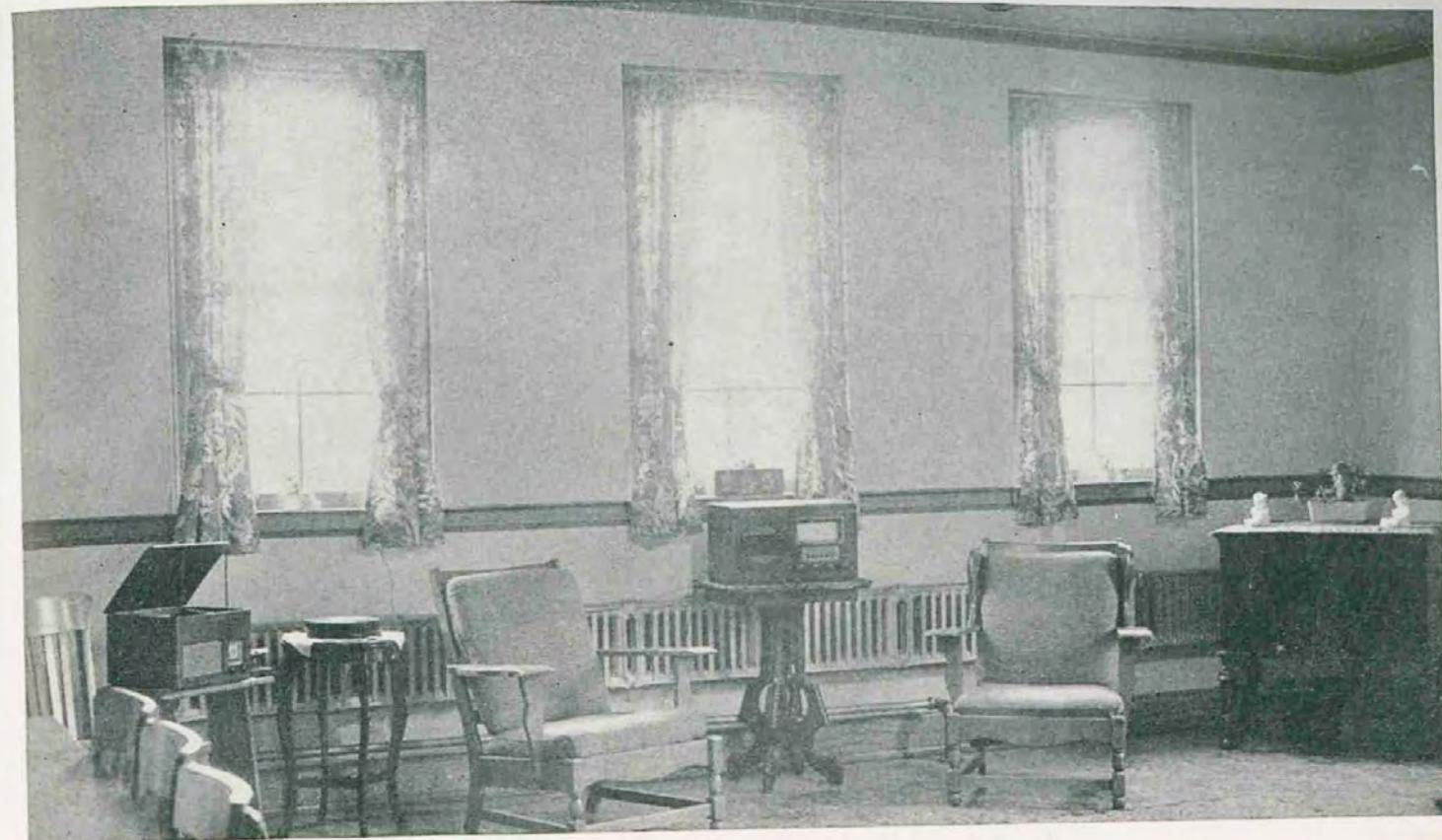
## Living at The Mount



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DORMITORY



RECREATION ROOM



GIRL'S ALCOVE

## HAPPY MEMORIES

Girls of the senior class who have been resident pupils at the Academy during their high school course feel a particular sadness in leaving the Mount. The happy associations that they have had with their companions in recreation, dining room, and dormitory, as well as the kindly supervision of Sr. Mary Concepta and Sr. Mary Pauline, will ever remain with them as pleasant memories all through the years.

# Activities



ENDMEN



Cheer  
Leaders



Senior Play

Monday afternoon and evening, February 5, the seniors presented "College Daze" at St. Peter's Hall. The three-act comedy, which was enjoyed by capacity audiences, centered about Hartdale, a small mid-western college town.

The characters were excellently portrayed by Marcus Carr, Charles Reardon, Barbara Vitagliano, Ruth Thompson, Mary Murphy, Joseph Pomponio, Marion Clifford, Joseph Formato, Jean Smith, Patricia Flynn, Edward Clifford, and Richard West. Music was furnished by the Mt. St. Joseph Orchestra.

The play was directed by Sister Mary Barbara and Sister Mary Imelda.



## Clarion



CLARION BUSINESS BOARD

Left (up): Alice McLellan, Margaret O'Rourke, Dolores LaFrance, Margaret Westcott, Dolores Warner, Marion Clifford, Elizabeth Nichols, Christine O'Brien, Mary T. O'Conner, Gertrude Lenoci, Elizabeth Kearney, Helen Kramarz, Anne Anoe.

Front: Patricia Joyce, Mary Falco, Angeline Margo.

We have eagerly anticipated the publication of each issue of the Clarion, which brought us in detail interesting accounts of the scholastic, social and athletic activities at the Academy during the past year. Copies of the paper have been sent regularly to Mount Saint Joseph pupils in service, who have greatly appreciated this consideration on the part of the staff.

Under the editorship of Martha Norton and the supervision of Sister Agnes Marie, faculty adviser, the Clarion has had a successful year. The financial management of the paper was in charge of Richard Crowley.

## Clarion



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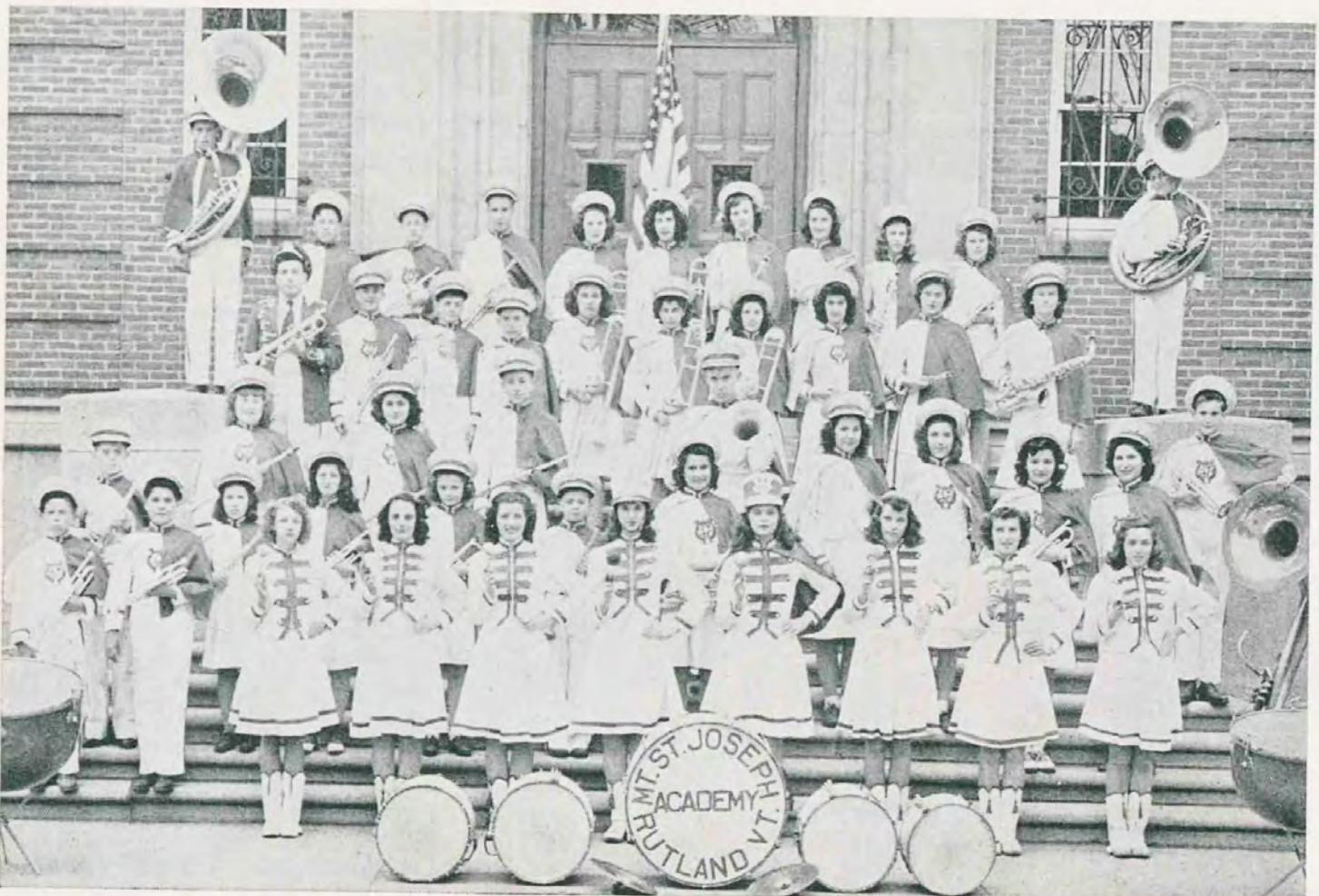
First row: Veronica McArdle, Mary Murphy, Evelyn Costello, Doreen McDevitt, Elizabeth Kearney, Jean Smith, Martha Norton.

Second row: Lena Segale, Kathleen Tree, Mary Farrell, Joanne LeVangie, Mary Canney, Charlotte Alexander.

## Band

Mt. St. Joseph students move along with a lively step to the martial music of the Academy band, which is under the capable supervision of Sister Mary Evangelist. As our musicians in their colorful green and white uniforms march along, or give special demonstrations of unique formation, the drill and practice of months is recognized in their exemplary performances.

Our band is one of the most cherished organizations at the Mount, and we are justly proud of its exhibitions at the home games, the Southern Vermont Tournament, May Day and Assumption Day Processions, and at civic functions.



**Trumpets**  
Edward St. Peter  
Joseph Pomponio  
Rodney Gallo  
Donald Medlin  
Paul Moulton  
Richard Saunders  
Gerald Keefe  
Gloria Parker  
Jasper Cacoppi

**Clarinets**  
Ettore Valleroli  
Barbara Lipp  
Grace Delatoso  
Margaret Harvey  
John Romano  
Lillian Huntoon  
Mary J. Benson  
Anne McDonnell  
Joseph Tilden  
Margaret Chamberland

**Baritone**  
Shirley LaCoe  
Katherine Loso  
Edward Connell  
Andrew Williams  
  
**Sousaphones**  
Walter Branchaud  
John O'Connell

**Cornets**  
Armando Segale  
Louis Vignoe  
Joseph Vignoe  
Lucy Flory  
Rita Marcaux  
Bernard Niles  
Loretta Gabco  
Robert Burke  
Dorothy Twigg  
  
**Mellophones**  
Helen Kramarz  
Elizabeth Niels

**Trombones**  
Alice McCarthy  
Dolores Tripodi  
Audrey Medlin  
Marion Gallagher  
Rita LaMaurie  
Therese Gregory  
  
**Drums**  
James Roderer  
Charles Roos  
Margaret Bachand  
Charles Dunklee  
Edward Grey

**Bass Drum**  
William Dupaw  
  
**Alto Saxophone**  
Marion Harvey

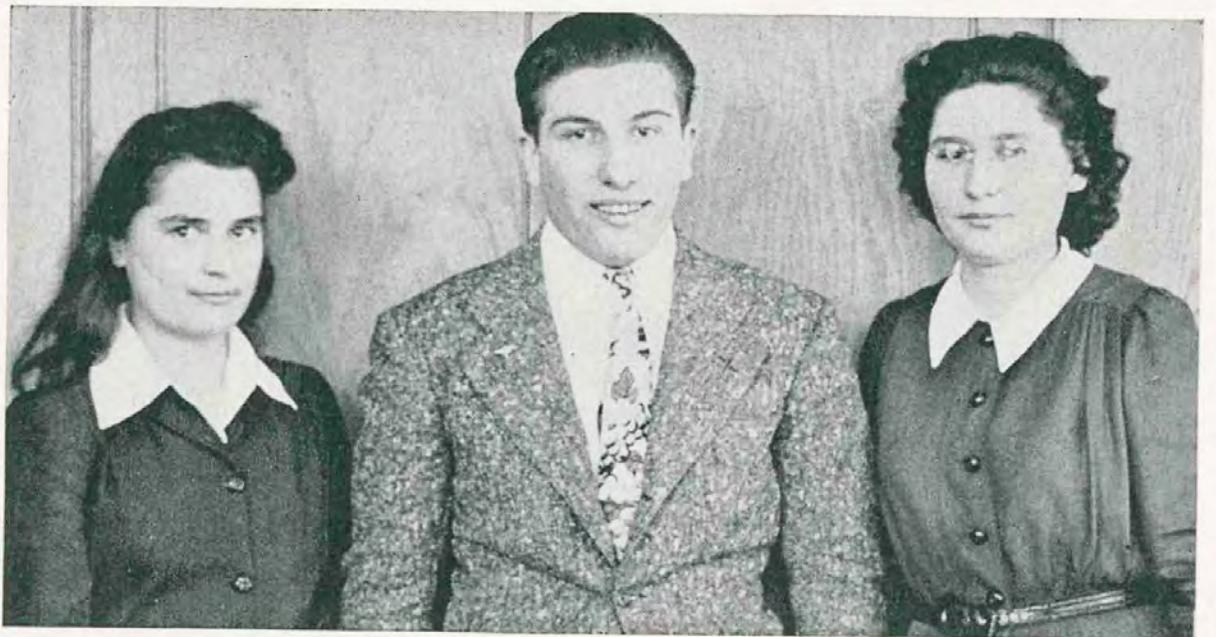
**Flute and Piccolo**  
Isabella Pandozzi  
Robert Dupaw  
Marie McDonnell



DIRECTOR



MAJORETTES



BAND OFFICERS—KAY LOSO

JOSEPH POMPOPIO

HELEN KRAMARZ

## Orchestra

Responding to the supervision of Sister Mary Evangelist, the orchestra has completed a successful year of weekly practices and excellent performances. The orchestra has added charm and select entertainment to the concert in honor of Mary Immaculate, Patroness of our country, to the senior play, to Music Graduation, to Class Night and Commencement exercises and to local social programs.



Violins  
Helen Kramarz  
Lucy Flory  
Edward St. Peter  
William Kramarz  
Calioppe Braves  
Charlotte Raymond  
William Dupaw  
Rose Marie Rousseau  
Anne McDonnell  
Elizabeth Niels

Cornets  
Rita Marcaux  
Louis Vignoe  
Richard Saunders  
French Horn  
Katherine Loso  
Bernard Niles  
Flute  
Marie McDonnell  
Isabella Pandozzi  
Robert Dupaw

Trombones  
Theresa Gregory  
Edward O'Connell  
Alice McCarthy  
Margaret Gallagher  
Rita LaMaurie  
Clarinets  
Barbara Lipp  
Grace Delatoso  
Margaret Harvey  
Mary J. Benson

Pianos  
Jean Smith  
Patricia Flynn  
Joyce Hinchey  
Winnifred Clark  
Jean Battles  
Ruth Thompson  
Tympani  
James Roderer

Tenor Sax  
Ettore Valleroli  
Alto Sax  
Marion Harvey  
Percussion  
James Roderer

## Girls' Glee Chorus



Members of the girls' glee chorus have taken part in the various musical programs that have been presented at the Academy. Under the supervision of Sister M. St. John groups of the girls have been trained to sing the Mass and Benediction, as well as selections for concerts and for commencement exercises.

In addition to choral activities, the following girls have completed a course in harmony, history of Music, music appreciation and in the theory of music: Jean Battles, Ruth Thompson, Jean Smith, Patricia Flynn, Winnifred Clark.

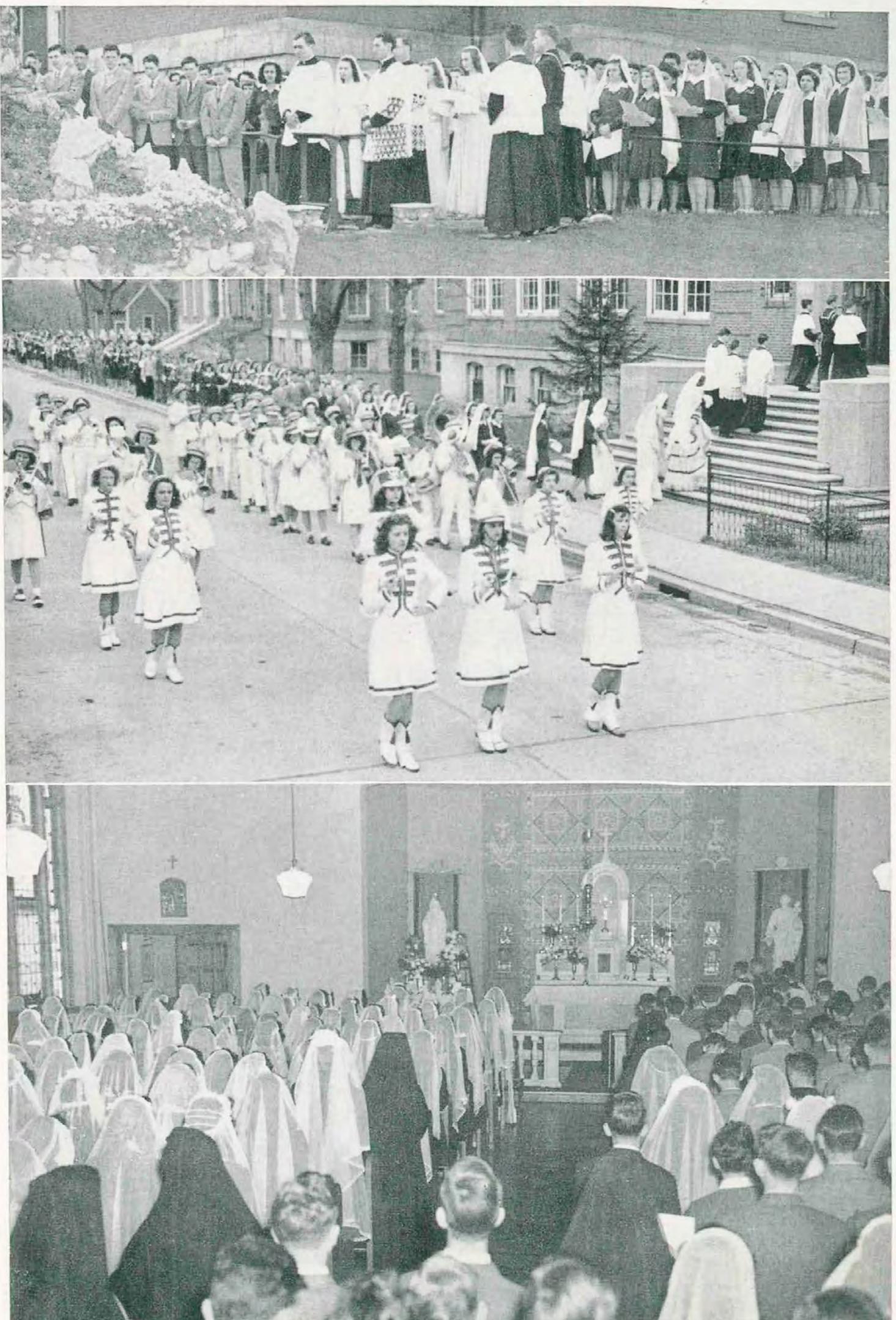
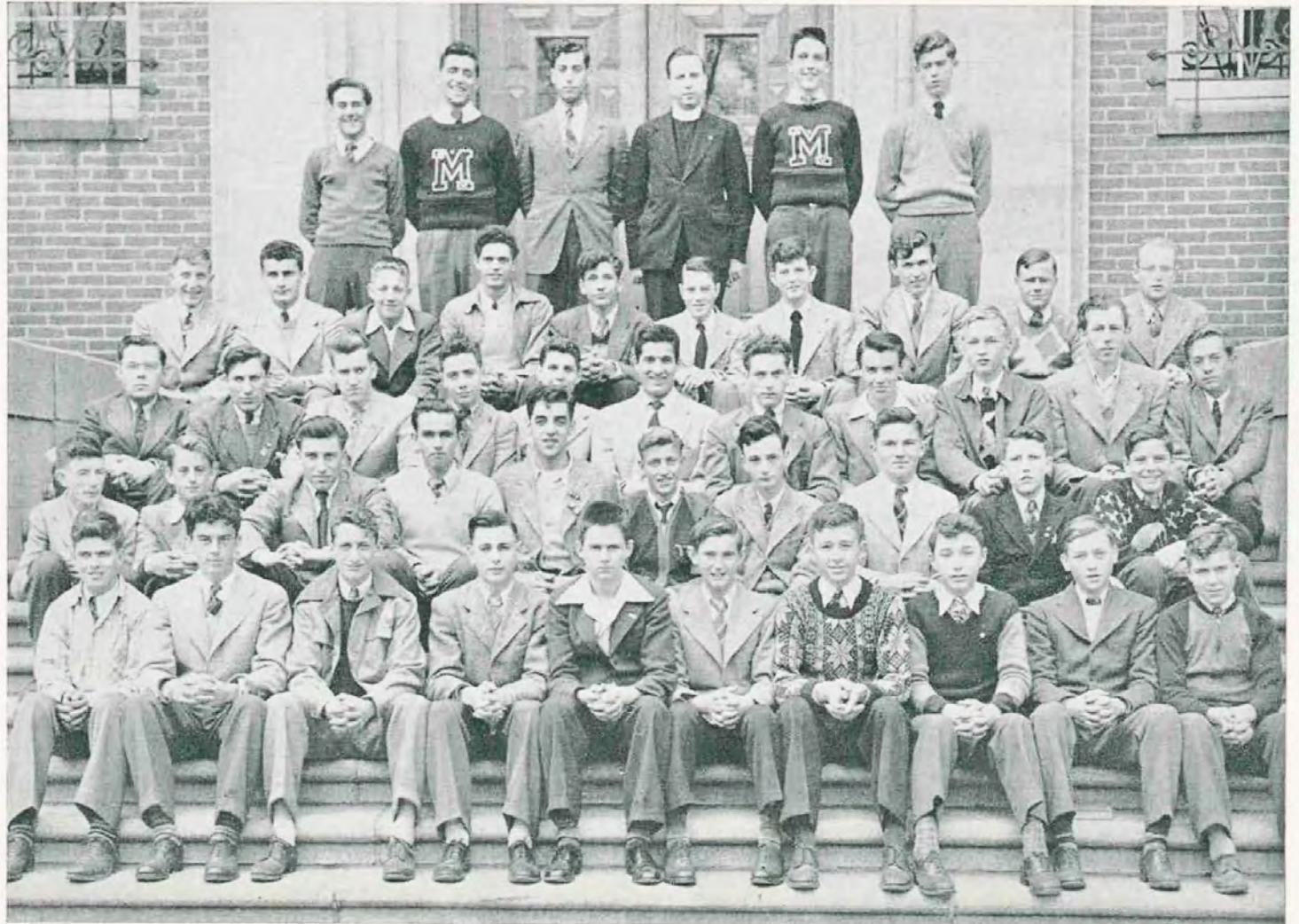
## May Day Procession

### Boys' Choir

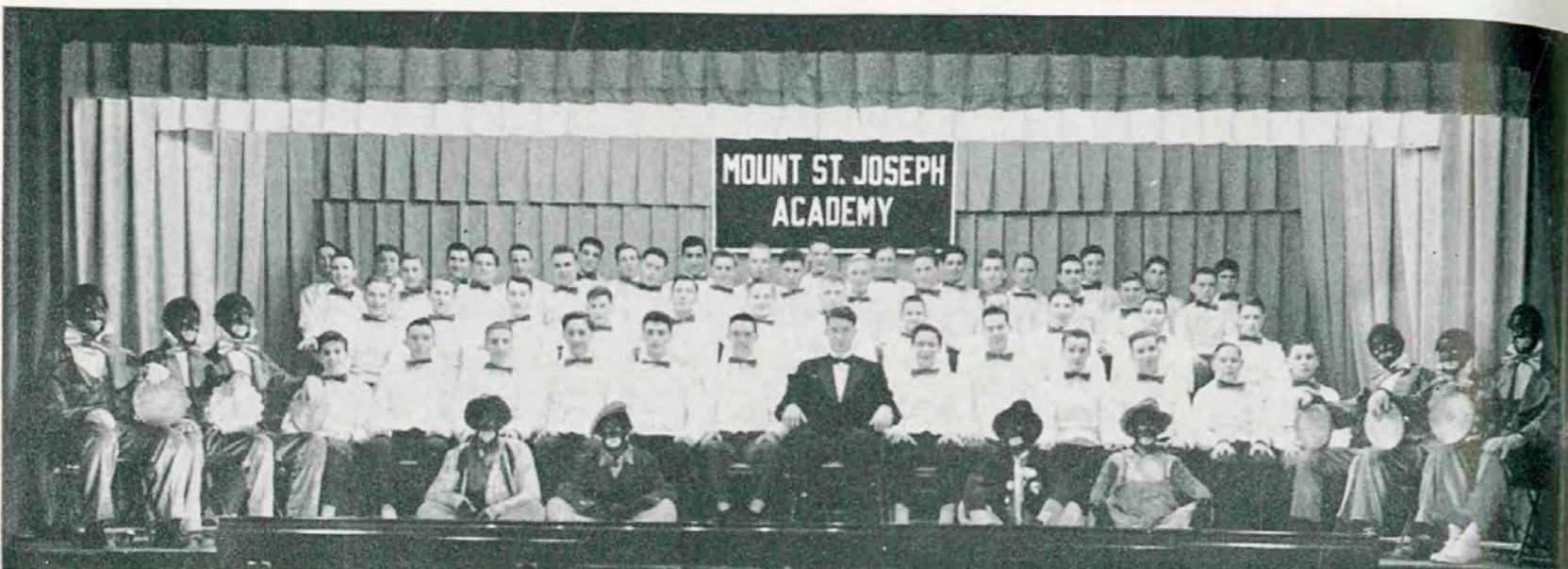
In November a boys' choir was organized at the Mount, and under the direction of Father Murray has practiced weekly during the school year. The choristers have sung parts of the Sunday Mass at St. Peter's Church, and together with the chancel choir have taken part in the Christmas, Holy Week, and Easter services.

In unison with boys representing Sacred Heart of Mary and Christ the King parishes, the St. Peter's Boys' Choir rendered the Propers of the Liturgical Mass sung at Christ the King Church, Sunday, May 27, by all the parochial school children of Rutland.

Senior boys who are members of the choir are: Richard Crowley, Robert Roach, Edward Clifford, Bernard Keefe, Joseph Pomponio, Charles Reardon, and Joseph Formato.



## Minstrel



For the benefit of school activities at the Mount, a Minstrel Show, "Let's Sing Again," was presented by the Academy boys in the afternoon and evening of November 21 and 22 at St. Peter's Hall, and Thanksgiving evening at Rutland High School Auditorium.

A banter of comedy was exchanged between the able interlocutor, Joseph Quinlan, and the six hilarious end-men, Edward Welch, Robert Hackett, Roy Rotella, Edward Clifford, Gene Roussil and Joseph Costello. Capacity crowds applauded each performance.

Comic, folk, and love songs were rendered by soloists, who were supported by a chorus of boys' voices, with Raymond Flanagan '38 accompanist.

The faculty and student body are grateful to Mr. Paul Bresnahan of Proctor, who directed the very successful show, and to Father Murray and Mr. George Tousignant for their assistance.

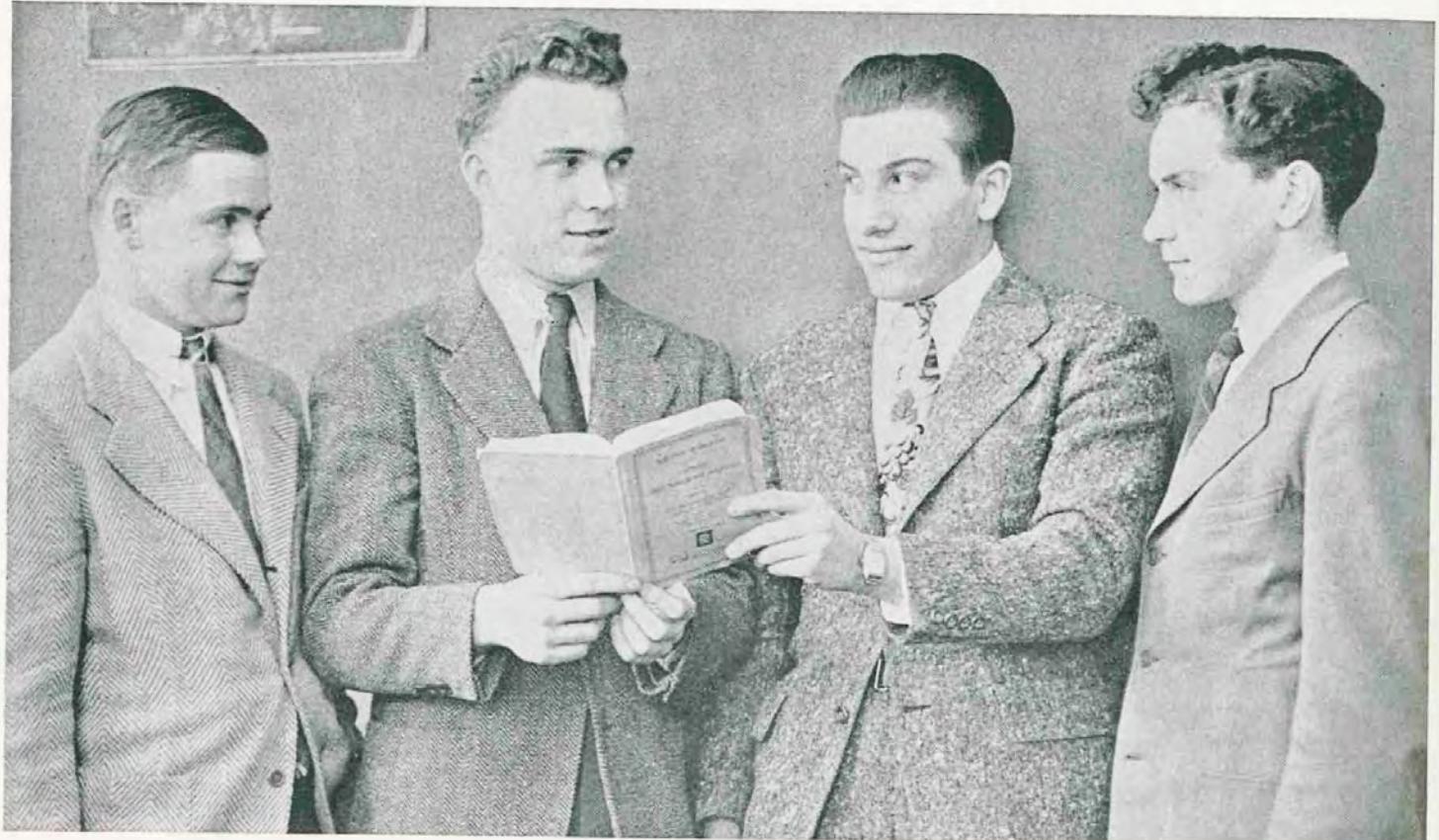
## Junior Sodality

At a meeting of the Junior Sodality held in September the following officers were chosen: Mary Murphy, President; Marion Clifford, Vice-President; Mary Falco, Treasurer; Patricia Joyce, Secretary.

This spiritual organization, under the direction of Sister Mary Francis, held meetings each month and sponsored socials and plays as a recreational feature. In addition to the monthly communion in her honor, the sodalists have shown special devotion to Mary during the month of May by their participation in the Academy May Day procession, the "Living Rosary," and the Crowning Ceremony at St. Peter's church.



Standing: Marion Clifford, Vice-President; Mary Murphy, President.  
Seated: Mary Falco, Treasurer; Patricia Joyce, Secretary.



Richard Crowley, President; Martin Carmody, Treasurer; Joseph Pomponio, Secretary; Edward Clifford, Vice-President.

### Junior Holy Name Society

The Junior Holy Name Society elected the following officers for the year 1944-1945: Richard Crowley, President; Edward Clifford, Vice-President; Joseph Pomponio, Secretary; Martin Carmody, Treasurer.

Members of the society received Holy Communion in a body on the third Sunday of each month. Meetings were held in the school gym under the direction of Father Demasi and Father Murray.

Socials and dances sponsored by the boys were enjoyed by the members of the society and their friends.

### St. John Berchmans' Society

Every altar boy can recall the joy he experienced on serving at Mass for the first time. As he grew older he realized the dignity and reverence that is entailed in assisting the priest at the Holy Sacrifice.

Several of the senior boys have been altar boys during high school years, and have not only served at Mass and Benediction, but also at Holy Hour, Holy Week Services, and other special ceremonies of the church.

Under the direction of Sister M. Imelda and Sister M. St. Michael, the boys have been trained in the conducting and meaning of these liturgical services.



Seated: Raymond Walsh, Henry Carroll, James Harrison, Richard Crowley.  
Standing: Martin Carmody, Joseph Lee, Warren Bolin, James Dunn.



Standing:  
Regina Valenty,  
Alice McLellan.

Seated:  
Jean Smith,  
Margaret O'Rourke,  
Dolores LaFrance.

#### BOYS' AND GIRLS' STATE

Mt. St. Joseph girls who attended Girls' State at Vermont Junior College, Montpelier, during the week of June 18, 1944 were: Dolores LaFrance, Margaret O'Rourke, Alice McLellan, Jean Smith, and Regina Valenty. Margaret O'Rourke was chosen to serve as Attorney General.

Boys' State was held at Norwich University during the same week as that of the girls' session. The following boys represented the Academy in the amateur state program: Leonard Courcelle, Martin Carmody, John Welch, Joseph Pomponio, and Bernard Keefe. Joseph Pomponio was elected Senator.



Standing:  
Leonard Courcelle,  
John Welch,  
Bernard Keefe.

Seated:  
Martin Carmody,  
Joseph Pomponio,

# Athletics



COACH BRANON

#### A TRIBUTE

We are fortunate in having Mr. Branen as coach at the Academy. The excellent training he has given our teams as well as his ability to impart to us the rules of true sportsmanship has been evident in our athletic contests.

As a teacher and friend, as well as coach, he has endeared himself to us by his understanding and tactful manner in his associations with us.

## Lettermen 1944-1945

### FOOTBALL

LEONARD COURCELLE, JOSEPH LEE, Co-Captains

JAMES DUNN  
JOHN WELCH  
MARTIN CARMODY  
ROBERT HACKETT  
JOSEPH FORMATO  
WILLIAM FLORY  
RICHARD WEST  
JOHN MOONEY  
ANTHONY MIGLORIE

EUGENE ROUSSIL  
QUIDO NOTTE  
QUIDO FORTE  
THOMAS ALBERICO  
FRANCES CIOFFI  
BERNARD HURLEY  
PAUL MARTIN  
STANLEY KANTORSKI  
DOMINIC CALIGUIRE

WALTER GALLIPEAU, ARTHUR HORVATH, Co-Managers

### BASKETBALL

LOUIS POKRYWKA, Captain  
WARREN BOLIN  
EDWARD WELCH  
ROBERT HACKETT

ARTHUR SHAPIRO  
RICHARD MANGAN  
WILLIAM FLORY  
BERNARD HURLEY

JOHN ROACH, Manager

### BASEBALL

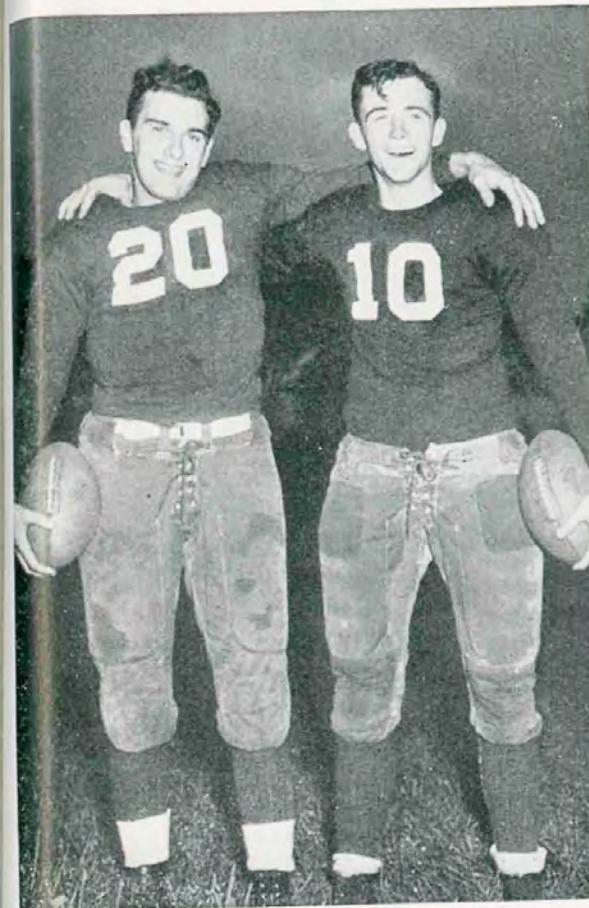
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FRANCIS KELLEY

ALL TOURNAMENT

# “Rah! Rah! Green Wave!”



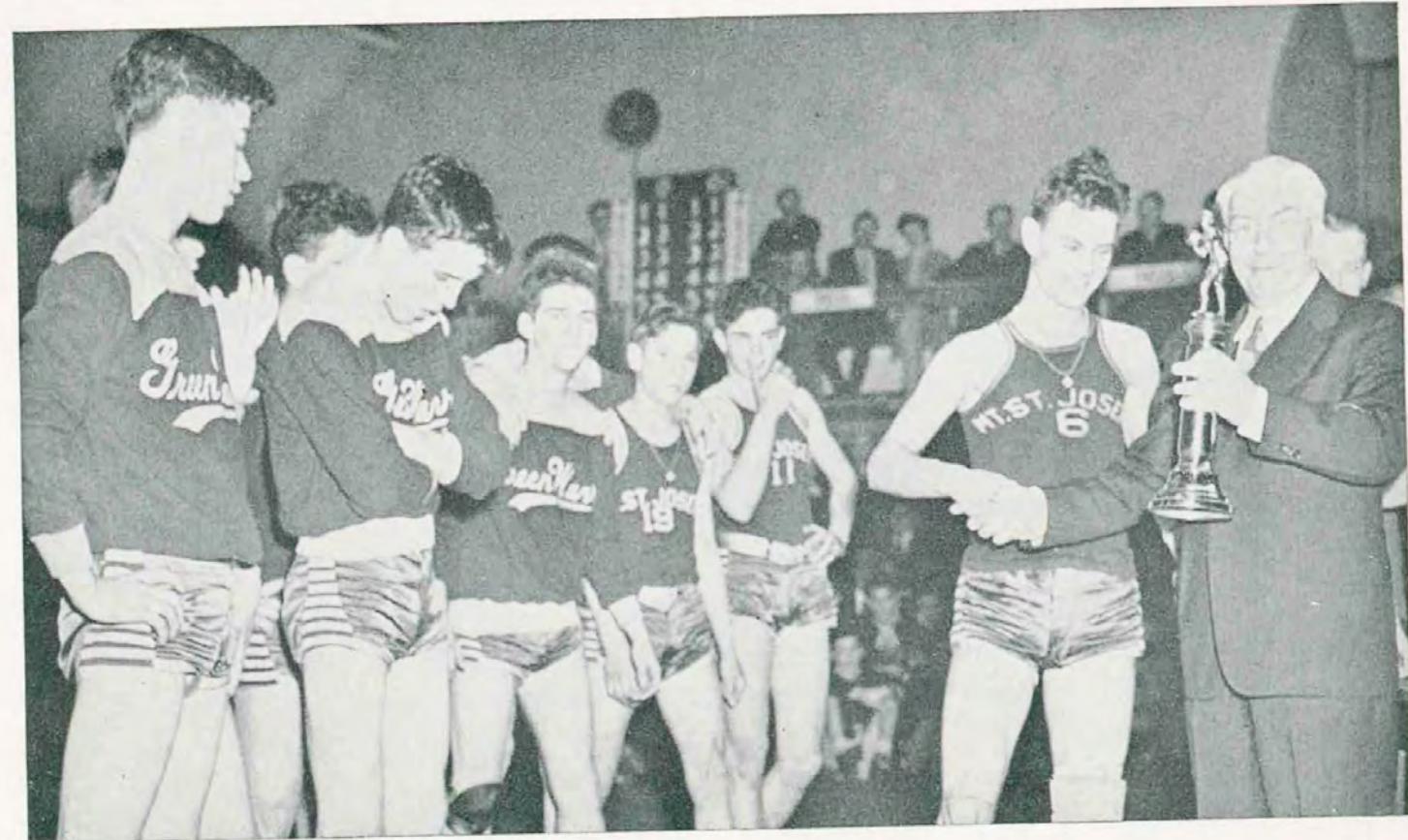
FOOTBALL CO-CAPTAINS  
Joseph Lee, Leonard Courcelle



CAPTAIN  
Robert Hackett



WARREN BOLIN  
most useful man to his team



CAPTAIN LOUIS POKRYWKA—receiving cup at tournament





First row: Quido Notte, James Dunn, William Flory, Richard West, Co-Captains: Joseph Lee, Leonard Courcelle, Gene Roussil, Guido Forte, John Mooney.  
 Second row: Joseph Formato, Frank Cioffi, Stanley Kantorski, Robert Hackett, John Welch, Martin Carmody, Thomas Alberico, Richard Terenzini, Paul Martin.  
 Third row: Frank Cioffi, John Kelley, John Terenzini, Edward Sullivan, Dominic Caligire, Edward Clifford, Steve Johnson, Ettore Valerolli, Bernard Hurley, Marcus Carr.  
 Fourth row: Manager-Walt Galipeau, Arthur Crowley, Daniel Intellizano, Henry Battles, John Benincassa, Paul Mangan, Richard Sullivan, John Miglis, William Foley, Manager-Arthur Horvath.  
 Fifth row: Assistant Coach-Pillon, Victor Altobell, Edward Shoro, Hugh Terenzini, Robert Brothers, Robert Westcott, Kenneth Casey, Howard Gilbert, Donald Medlin, Bernard Gouchoe, Coach Branom.

## Football

The 1944 Football season at the Mount was beyond doubt one of the best in the history of Academy football. During the season's play the Mounties, under mentor Branom, compiled a total of 130 points against 39 for their opponents, while chalking up five victories, losing one game and playing to even terms in three games.

Two Academy ballplayers received special honor by being chosen on the All State Team. James Dunn, a senior guard, and William Flory in the backfield, because of their consistently good play earned this title. The Academy students have their own special mention for all players, and in particular for the senior players. The loss of Co-Captains, Joe Lee and Len Courcelle as well as James Dunn, John Welch, Robert Hackett, and Joseph Formato, due to graduation will leave many many holes to be filled next year. Besides the loss of these boys Coach Branom will be without the services of Gene Roussil and Stanley Kantorski, underclassmen, who left to join the armed forces.

## FOOTBALL—(continued)

In the opening game of the season the untried Acads journeyed to St. Albans where they defeated St. Mary 8-0. The only Academy touchdown came in the fourth period on a short buck by Bill Flory. Later in the game John Mooney, Acad tackle, blocked a punt into the end zone which was recovered by Dunn and Mooney to add a safety to the Acad score. Despite the fact that it was the Mounties first ball game they showed the fight and determination that carried throughout the season.

The following week the Green Wave battled to even terms with Montpelier High School 6-6. The game was hard fought to the finish, as the Acads stopped dead the Solons offensive and put themselves into position to score on numerous occasions but could manage to score only once on a punt from Hackett to Flory in the second period. The Academy line deserved credit in this game as they did all season for their stubborn defense.

Taking advantage of every break the Branommen notched their second victory of the campaign as they upset a strong Spaulding High team 18-7. It was the Academy line that again showed as they held the northerners scoreless until the reserves took over in the last period. The Acad touchdowns all came on spectacular plays, as Flory returned a Crimson punt 87 yards for the initial score, and later scored his second touchdown of the game on a pass from Hackett. The last Mountie touchdown came as a result of an intercepted pass by Gene Roussil who dashed 40 yards to pay dirt.

The only defeat suffered by the Acads came at the hands of Bellows Falls, who went on to cop the state title. Put to a disadvantage by an early Bellows Falls score the Mounties fought their way back into the game on a touchdown pass from Hackett to Flory. It was not the Academy's day however as Bellows Falls drove to their second touchdown early in the third period to spell defeat for the Mount.

Rebounding from the above setback, the Green Wave trounced a Windsor eleven 32-0. Playing in a downpour of rain the Acads started fast on a quick touchdown by Flory and then failed to score again until the last half on two touchdowns by Bob Hackett and single scores by Flory and Hurley.

The best defensive game played by the Branommen for the season resulted in a 0-0 game with Springfield. Playing with their backs to the wall for three quarters, the Acads, refused to budge. The M. S. J. linemen in general and Jim Dunn in particular were conspicuous in the see-saw contest. Although it was a defensive game throughout, the Mountie backs opened up with a drive in the final quarter only to be stopped short of the marker.

A week later the Mounties gained their fourth victory by crushing an outclassed West Rutland team 27-6. It was the first defeat suffered by the

## FOOTBALL—(continued)

West Siders, who scored first to go out in front 6-0. From there the Branonmen turned on the heat, smothering West Rutland with four touchdowns, two of them by Miglorie and one each by West and Flory. Continuing on their parade the Green Wave trounced Poultney to the tune of 33-7. Leaving no doubt of the outcome the Mounties swept into the commanding lead of 19-0 at the half and picked up two more in the final period. The only Poultney score came in the fourth quarter on the return of a kickoff.

In the annual contest with their friendly rivals, the Mounties once again battled the Redmen to even terms. It was the second time in a row that the city championship game ended in a scoreless tie. Looked upon with a slightly better than even chance of victory the Acads ran up against the expected tough opposition, the result being one of the best played games of the season. With both teams playing a very good defensive game the result of the contest rested on the breaks of the game alone, but again the results were even. The final whistle left the Acads forced to be content with an even series for the second year.

Co-Captains of the 1945-1946 squad are Bill Flory and Dick West.

## SCHEDULE

	M.S.J.	Opp.
St. Mary's	8	0
Montpelier	6	6
Spaulding	18	7
Bellows Falls	6	13
Windsor	32	0
Springfield	0	0
West Rutland	27	6
Poultney	33	7
Rutland	0	0
	—	—
	130	39



First row: Bill Flory, Louis Pokrywka, Captain, Warren Bolin, Arthur Shapiro, Edward Welch, Bernard Hurley, Robert Hackett, Richard Mangan.

Second row: Frank Cioffi, Thomas Alberico, Joseph Costello, Frank Cioffi, John Kelley, Pascal Polcaro, Edward Sullivan, Dominic Caliguire.

Third row: Peter Zuk, Vincent Leluikas, William Timbers, Thomas Kelley, Richard Marotti, Gerald McCue, Francis Aquistapace, John McGarry.

Fourth row: Coach Branon, Raymond Flynn, Co-Managers John Clifford and John Roach, John Terenzini, Assistant Coach Pillon.

## Basketball

Despite a mediocre season the Green Wave Five came through with flying colors. Their seasonal record of 16 wins, as against 11 defeats was climaxed by their winning the Southern Vermont Tourney.

Pre-season hopes were high at the Academy, due to the return of five lettermen. Coach Branon had four experienced ball players in Capt. Lou Pokrywka, Warnie Bolin, Eddie Welch and Bob Hackett, around whom to build his ball team, as well as three of last year's Jayvees, Dick Mangan, Bill Flory, and Bernie Hurley, and a newcomer to the ranks, Art Shapiro.

The Mounties had difficulty in hitting their stride at the start of the season dropping 7 of their first 10 games. Losing to a strong Alumni team by the close score of 32-29, the Branonmen rebounded to stop Bellows Free Academy 43-35, and appeared to be headed for a successful season. However, hard luck seemed to dog the team which resulted in their losing in succession to Cathedral, Burlington, and to Curtis High of Staten Island.

The Wave opened the Southern Vermont League with a victory 30-25 over a good Windsor five, dropped one to Springfield, in which the Mounties cut a large Springfield lead to three points in the final period, and then fell behind again to lose 36-28. The Acads then reached a new low as they dropped into seventh place, as a result of a 36-21 defeat at the hands of Rutland. The Branonmen played their hearts out for three periods only to fall apart completely in the final game being outscored 13-4.

Rutland Historical Society and the Rutland Free Library.

M. S. J. won double victories over Hartford and Brattleboro, proceeded to win the crucial game against West Rutland 38-33, which might well be called the turning point of the season, and went on to defeat Rutland 52-34. In the Rutland game the Mounties swept out in front 24-14 at the half, and increased their lead behind the sharpshooting of Bolin and Pokrywka to 36-20 at the third quarter. It was the Acads' night and they made use of it. The Green Wave had now won six of their last seven starts, losing only to Bellows Falls 28-17.

At this point in the league with Springfield, Rutland, Mt. St. Joseph, and Bellows Falls battling for top honors, the Branomnen journeyed to Springfield and lost what was a heartbreaking decision 29-28. Rallying, however, the Acads administered a decisive defeat to West Rutland, and in one of the best games of the season came up the hard way to defeat Bellows Falls in an overtime period 42-40. With ten seconds remaining in the contest, Dick Mangan split the cords from midcourt to knot the count at 38 all, and in the extra period Warnie Bolin took over, settling the issue in the last six seconds with one of his specialties.

The Mounties were now halted by Windsor, 40-27, as a result of ragged play and the absence of Ed Welch at guard. This loss forced the Green Wave into a playoff in order to gain entrance into the Southern Vermont Tournament.

Leaping that hurdle with an avenging 30-23 victory the Mounties gained the right to meet Bellows Falls in the semi-finals. Seeming to gain strength, the Academy fought down to the final whistle emerging as victor over Bellows Falls, 41-38 and went on to capture the cup with a thrilling 36-27 victory over their arch-rivals Rutland in the finals. The Mounties started fast to leap



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into a 19-9 lead at half-time behind their excellent teamwork and shooting. At the end of the third quarter the Mounties hopes nearly fell as Bolin and Welch left the game via the foul route, and Rutland brought the count up to 29-27. The Acad reserves, Mangan and Hurley played veteran ball, and once again pulled away to win, 36-27. The Mounties as a result of their victory participated in the State Finals at Burlington only to fall before a well balanced Spaulding High team 36-22.

Five Senior boys took an active part in the year's heavy schedule: Capt. Lou Pokrywka, Warnie Bolin, Eddie Welch, Bob Hackett and Artie Shapiro. Three Juniors, Dick Mangan, Bill Flory and Bernie Hurley, as well as Pascal Polcaro, a sophomore, and Alfonse Cioffi, a freshman, rounded out the roster.

Capt. Pokrywka, Warren Bolin, and Ed Welch, as a result of their play in the tournament, received special award by being picked on the All-Tournament Team. Bolin also because of his outstanding ability as a point-getter was chosen as the most valuable player to his team in the tourney. The offensive power of Bolin and Pokrywka balanced by the good team play of Hackett, Welch, Flory, and reserves Shapiro, Mangan, and Hurley was conspicuous in the Acads tourney victory.

At the close of the season Dick Mangan was elected as captain of next year's basketball five.

#### SCHEDULE

	M.S.J.	Opp.
Alumni	29	32
Bellows Free Academy	43	35
Cathedral	30	31
Curtis High (Staten Island)	26	40
Burlington	26	28
St. Mary's	61	36
Burlington	20	43
Windsor	30	25
Rutland	21	36
Springfield	28	36
Brattleboro	37	24
Hartford	33	23
Bellows Falls	17	29
West Rutland	38	33
Brattleboro	28	23
St. Mary's	29	26
Hartford	39	24
Rutland	52	34
Springfield	28	29
West Rutland	49	31
Windsor	27	40
Bellows Falls	42	40
Cathedral	42	34
*Windsor	30	23
**Bellows Falls	41	38
**Rutland	36	27
***Spaulding	22	36

\*Playoff for Southern Vermont Tourney.

\*\*Southern Vermont Tourney.

\*\*\*State Finals.



First row: Walter Gallipeau, Louis Pokrywka, Quido Notte, Captain Robert Hackett, William Flory, Dominic Caliguire.

Second row: Francis Kelley, Thomas Alberico.

Third row: Pascal Polcaro, Bernard Hurley, Warren Bolin, Frank Cioffi.

Fourth row: Manager Martin Carmody, Arthur Shapiro, Bernard Keefe, Alfonso Cioffi, Coach W. Barry Branom.

## Baseball

The return of nine lettermen made bright prospects for a successful season in baseball. Coach Branom has one of the best battery crews of the state in veteran pitchers Lou Pokrywka, Warren Bolin, and Walt Gallipeau, and in Quido Notte transferred from centerfield to carry on the largest share of the catching.

The Acad infiel is equally strong and is built around Captain Robert Hackett at shortstop, and Porky Polcaro, diminutive sophomore letterman, at third base. Two newcomers to the nine, Bernard Hurley, a junior, and Mickey Kelley, a freshman, earned positions at first and second bases, respectively, to round out capably the infiel.

The Mountie outfield, looked upon as the biggest question at the start of the season, is being ably filled by Bill Flory and Frankie Cioffi returning lettermen, and Art Shapiro, another newcomer. Reserve strength at the Mount is abundant, due to the presence of infielders Jack Brown and Tom Alberico, outfielder Bernie Keefe, and catcher Mimi Caliguire.

Two Academy ballplayers, who will be sorely missed, are Stanley Kantorski and Bob Frazier, who left the Mount to serve in the armed forces.

Due to the absence of Quido Notte and Porky Polcaro, and early season nervousness, the Mountie nine fared poorly in their initial contest, losing to West Rutland 6-4. Lou Pokrywka, starting hurler for the Acads, struck out 10 men in the six innings which he pitched, allowing only three hits, but the Mounties themselves could muster only four hits. West Rutland came through with two runs in the eighth and one in the ninth to overcome the Academy lead of 4-3.

At the second meeting of the two clubs the Academy ballhawks made good use of their eight hits and five West Rutland errors to push across 10 runs to avenge the earlier defeat 10-4. Warren Bolin relieving Walt Galipeau in the sixth gained credit for the victory allowing only three hits over the remainder of the game.

Despite an excellent 3-hit pitching performance by Warren Bolin, the Green Wave dropped their second game to West Rutland 7-4. It was a serious letdown after the previous victory, but the Branommen are confident that with the return of Notte and Polcaro the start of the Twilight league will find the Mounties batting for the honors.

## SCHEDULE

			M.S.J.	OPP.
Apr.	18	West Rutland	Home	4 6
Apr.	20	West Rutland	Away	10 4
Apr.	25	West Rutland	Away	4 7
Apr.	30	West Rutland	Home	4 0
May	1	Middlebury	Home	18 0
May	4	Rutland	Home	
May	8	Poultney	Away	5 0
May	11	Fair Haven	Home	
May	13	Windsor	Away	
May	14	Proctor	Home	7 0
May	15	West Rutland	Away	
May	18	Open		
May	20	Windsor	Home	
May	22	Rutland	Away	
May	25	Poultney	Home	
May	27	St. Mary's (Glens Falls)	Away	
May	29	Fair Haven	Away	
May	30	Rutland	Away	
June	2	St. Mary's (Amsterdam)	Home	
June	10	St. Mary's (Glens Falls)	Home	

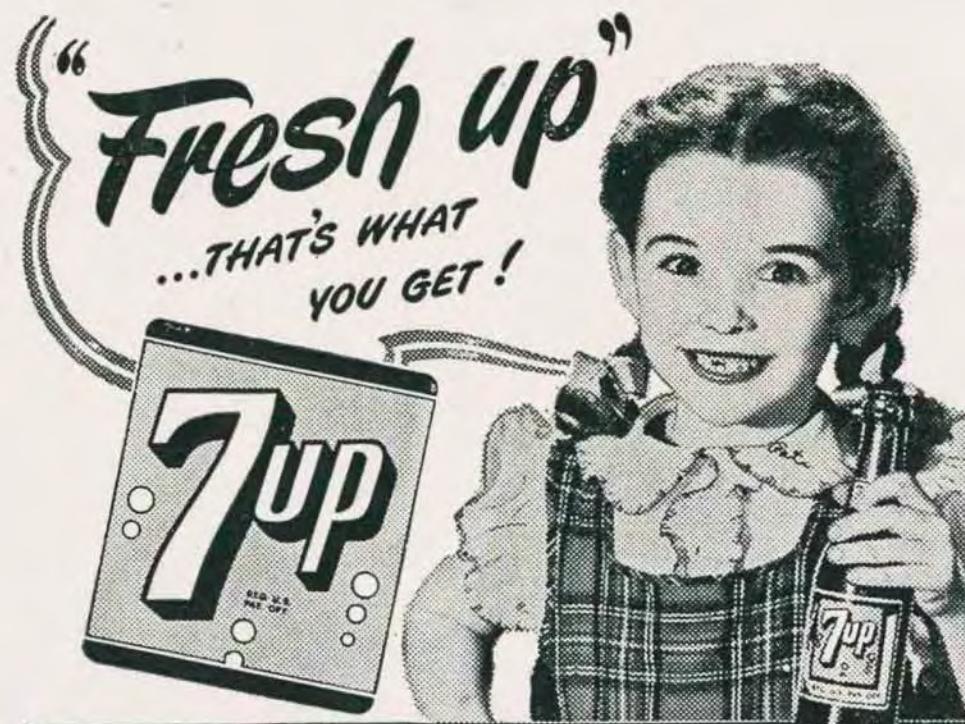


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